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GRAFTERS NOTIFIED BY WALDO

GAMBLER'S ACCUSATIONS MUST BE EXPLAINED.

A Brother-in-Law of Tammany Leader Murphy In the List

OF THOSE NAMED BY JAMES PURCELL.

Charges to be Investigated and If Found True, Men Must Go.

Police and District Attorney Agree Like Harman and Blank.

New York, Feb. 8.—Police Commissioner Waldo today took up the lead opened by the aldermanic investigation of police graft and began the investigation of charges made by James Purcell, a veteran gamoler, against four captains now on the force. On the strength of Purcell's unsupported story, said Waldo, he would do nothing, but if his investigation corroborated the gambler's charges, he would suspend the accused officers. The police captains Purcell charged with receiving tribute for protecting his gambling establishments are Patrick J. Cray, brother-in-law of Charles F Murphy, the Tammany leader, and Captains Martens, Maude and Cochrane Others he mentioned are no longer on the force.

It was pointed out at police headquarters today that the police graft Purcell told about was levied during a long term of years and under various police commissioners.

An Even Dozen.

New York, Feb 8 —An even two dozen—some dead, some retired some still on the New York police force—were branded as grafters or go-betweens yesterday in the recital of James Purcell, a veteran gambler, who told the aldermanic investigating committee how he and associates had given up $50,000 protection money in 17 years. His story was the most important told to the committee since it began its inquiry into police conditions following the murder of Herman Rosenthal, shot down because he squealed" There was no session of the aldermanic committee today and it was not known whether Purcell would be recalled to the stand on Monday. Interest centered largely at police headquarters, though it was not believed that Commissioner Waldo would suspend any of those mentioned by Purcell until he had confirmed the truth of the charges by an independent investigation The aldermanic committee is working hand in hand with the district attorney's office and as the police department and the district attorney are at dagger's points, neither is accepting the word of or co-operating with the other in any way

On Monday Captain Thomas Walsh who recently confessed to grafting and implicated Inspector Dennis Sweeney, is to go oefore the grand jury and tell his story. Both he and Sweeney are now under suspension. After the Walsh evidence is presented Purcell will tell his tale to the grand jury, and a big batch of indictments is expected within ten days.

LIVER AND PRUNES ONLY HOPE LEFT.

Washington, Feb 8.—Housewives who visited the center market this morning uttered cries of dismay on discovering that spring lamb of the crop of 1913 was retailing at one dollar a pound This would make leg of lamb cost from six to eight dollars and the price is said to be the highest ever recorded at this time of the year.

The "trimmings" that generally accompany spring lamb, mint and green peas, retailed at 10 cents a bunch and 15 cents a quart respectively Prices of nearly all commodities are advancing and dealers regard the outlook for any decrease in the immediate future as not encouraging.

WOMAN CONFESSES MURDER OF HUSBAND

Webb City, Mo., Feb. 8 —Mrs. Lige Gillmore, has confessed to the police that she and James Lynn, of Galena, Kas., had murdered her husband here last Thursday night. Both are under arrest charged with first degree murder. Mrs. Gillmore declared that cruelties inflicted by her husband during 22 years of married life had become unbearable. She said she and Flynn planned the murder at Miami, Okla, last summer.

DOG MUST HAVE BEEN FAIRLY GOOD FRIEND

Ann Arbor, Mich, Feb. 8.—The recovery of W. A. Smith, of Kalamazoo for a part of whose brain the dura of a dog's brain was substituted Wednesday, seems certain, according to physicians in the university hospital where the operation was performed. Smith was afflicted with abscess of the brain and when the diseased portion was removed the dura, which is the outer membrane of the brain and spinal cord of the dog, was substituted. The physicians say Smith will not suffer inconvenience from the substitution if he recovers from the shock incident to the operation.

DUN'S REVIEW SHOWS SUBSTANTIAL GAIN.

New York, Feb. 8.—Dun s Review today will say:

Bank exchanges this week at all leading cities in the United States aggregate $3,253,308,182, a gain as compared with same week last year of 6 7 per cent This is a somewhat better exhibit than that of a week ago and is mainly due to the improved showing at New York City. The total of the cities outside the leading center is 5 7 per cent larger than a year ago.

DIZZY RED PAINT FOR MAIL VEHICLES

Washington, Feb. 8.—A nationwide use of red paint is to be made immediately by the post office department which proposes to put in spick and span condition all vehicles used in the collection or delivery of mail. Postmaster General Hitchcock today ordered a general inspection made of the wagons and automobiles in all post offices

Where horses are used experts will be called upon to certify that they are "prompt in action, creditable in appearance, in first class condition and suitable for the work required of them"

The minute inspection is to extend to the small furnishings such as the harness, whips, lamps and other accessories. Wherever painting is necessary bright vermilion red, with appropriate trimmings will be used.

NEWSPAPER MEN ONLY KILLING TIME.

Washington, Feb 8 —When Thomas Brahany, chief clerk at the White House executive office, reached his desk today he found a slip bearing, in irregular order, the names of the various members of the cabinet He was mystified until, on investigation, he discovered that the slip was a record of a "cabinet day gamble" indulged in by the newspaper correspondents who, on Tuesdays and Friday, it developed, have been in the habit of making wagers among themselves on the order in which the cabinet members will arrive

Mr Brahany's find indicated that the cabinet members arrived in the following order.

Wilson 1. Nagel 2, Wickersham 3, MacVeagh 4, Hitchcock 5, Fisher 6, Stimson 7, and Meyer 8

Secretary Knox was missing

The hour of meeting for the cabinet is fixed at 11 o'clock on Tuesdays and Fridays, but President Taft very seldom appeared on time to open the conference with his official family. It is generally twenty or thirty minutes after the hour when he takes his place at the head of the big table in the conference room As a result the hard worked cabinet members take their time in getting to the White House and their arrival is irregular. This makes the betting all the more interesting

NATURE PROVIDES FOR HER AFFLICTED

New York, Feb 8.—Blind men set an example of remarkable calmness yesterday when 50 of them all sightless felt their way quietly down from the upper floors of an institution on Thirty-fifth street while the building was afire.

The men were weaving baskets and making brooms when some of them felt drops of water pattering down upon them.

"There must be a fire" cried one. "The automatic sprinklers are working."

"I smell smoke. There is a fire." exclaimed others And with little ado they felt their way to the stairs and marched calmly down to the street The firemen arrived a few minutes later and extinguished a small blaze which had started the automatic sprinklers but which was caught so quickly that it did little damage.

PROMINENT SINGER DIES.

Dayton, O, Feb. 8 —Harry J. Fellows, 45, director and manager of the Fellows Grand Opera quartette of Buffalo, N Y., was found dead in bed at the Algonquin hotel this morning, a victim of heart trouble. He was prominent in musical circles in Buffalo.

CHANCE FOR GEORGE TO TAKE VACATION.

Port Deposit, Md., Feb 8—George Todd, a stableman of this place, has fallen heir to $300,000 by the death of his grandfather who went west years ago. Todd was summoned to Wilmington, Del., yesterday and told of the fortune.

SHORTAGE OF SUICIDE UNCOVERED

DISHONEST OFFICIAL OF A DAYTON LOAN COMPANY

Could No Longer Cover Up Deficit of More Than $60,000.

LIFELESS BODY FOUND IN VAULT.

Jugular Vein Cut and a 32. Calibre Bullet in His Brain

Just as the Bank Directors Were Assembling for Meeting.

Dayton, O., Feb 8 —State inspectors today reported a shortage of $60,000 in the accounts of Harlow E. Spring, secretary of the Enterprise Savings and Loan association, covering a period of several years. Application for the appointment of a receiver for the savings society has been filed.

Spring committed suicide Monday night just as the directors were assembling for their usual meeting

Spring Suicides.

Columbus, O, Feb 8 —Harlow E Spring, secretary of the Enterprise Loan and Savings Association of Dayton, who killed himself last Monday night, was short $60,923 63 in his accounts, according to a report made to State Insurance Commissioner E H Moore today by Deputy Inspector James A Devine of the building and loan association bureau, who with Examiners Fred A. Baker, Carl Bargmann and James Mulroy of the bureau have been working on the books of the association since Tuesday

Spring s body was found in the vault in the association s office. His jugular vein had been severed with a razor and a 32-calibre bullet had been sent crashing through his brain On his desk was found a newspaper clipping detailing the arrest of George J Magly, secretary of the Teutonia Building and Loan Association of Columbus, and telling of the inability of the latter to cover up his alleged use of the funds of the association for private purposes

You will find my body in the vault," was the message in a note Spring left on his desk. In a letter to the president of the association he confessed that he had been using the money of the company and that he realized he could no longer conceal the fact He stood high in business circles in Dayton and there was no suspicion against him.

WICKERHAMS WILL GIRDLE THE WORLD

Washington, Feb 8 —Arrangements for the world girdling trip of Attorney General Wickersham on his retirement next month have finally been settled. Besides Mrs Wickersham, there will be in the party Miss Martha Bowers, daughter of the late Lloyd W. Bowers, solicitor general of the United States, Miss Frances Noyes and Frederick Moore, of New York. The globe trotters will leave New York March 8, sailing from San Francisco one week later for Honolulu where they will spend two weeks as a first stop

The attorney general declares that he proposed to avoid the beaten tracks of travel and that the inclination of the hour would largely direct their movements. Mrs Wickersham also is enthusiastic over this roving plan of travel.

"Our trip is to be by no means a one-sided one," she said. "Social functions and public pageants, restaurants and sports, art galleries and volcanos are on our list."

According to the general plan Mr Wickersham and his personally conducted tourists will return to New York in November. Of this he is not certain for, as he said, the lure of Egypt might prove irresistible and Christmas possibly would find them on the Nile.

HERBERT BOURNE DEAD.

Cleveland, O. Feb. 8.—Herbert C. Bourne, well known business man died here today, following a stroke of apoplexy with which he was stricken at the Colonial club last night, while attending a reception to President James H. Taylor, of Vassar college. He was fifty years old, a Harvard graduate, and member of the Euclid, Union, Mayfield and University clubs.

THIS IS REASON WHY 99 HOOT IT.

New York, Feb. 8.— Figures do not lie. One may see an automobile with the license tag number "103447 N. Y.," but there are nowhere as many automobiles as that running in New York. The same is true of other states, according to the official organ of the Automobile Club of America which declares that license numbers show greatly inflated totals. The exact number of cars in New York is not known, but according to the comparison given for California there are 88,174 license numbers but only 33,960 cars in actual service. In Indiana it is said there are actually 25,197 cars although 64,000 are registered. Nebraska is said to have 16,500 cars although 64,000 are registered Nebraska is said to have 16,500 cars although registry numbers run as high there as 33,277. It is estimated that throughout the country now there are nearly a million automobiles in use, or roughly one car to every hundred persons

DISSOLUTION SUIT POSTPONED AGAIN.

New York, Feb. 8 —Resumption of the hearings in the government's dissolution suit against the United States Steel Corporation, set for Monday, was postponed today till the latter part of the month because of the finding of certain documents which will be used in the suit. Postponement was taken to enable the government lawyers to acquaint themselves with the contents of the documents, which are available at the corporation's office

The exact date of the next hearing is to be determined by counsel. It probably will be February 25

THAT'S THE HALIBUT!

Seattle, Wash, Feb 8 —Experienced independent fishermen are reaping a harvest as a result of the fishermen's strike begun here several weeks ago One schooner arrived yesterday with a catch of 35,000 pounds of halibut which sold at 11½ cents a pound, doubt the normal price.

UNWOMANLY SUFFRAGETS

Wantonly Destroy Nature's Rarest Species of Floral Culture.

LONDON HOT HOUSE OBJECT OF ATTACK.

Orchids in the Horticultural Gardens Uprooted and Scattered.

London, Feb 8 —Militant suffragettes destroyed many valuable plants and didother damage reaching atotal of $5, 000 in thee hot houses of the Kew Horticultural Gardens during the early hours of this morning. Thus they developed another part of their plan of campaign to force the government to give the vote to woman

It is believed a number of women hid themselves in the gardens overnight, for this morning long before the deal staff came on duty it was found that a large number of rare orchids had been uprooted and scattered in all directions. Thirty panes of glass in the orchid house was broken

When the night watchman made their rounds at one oclock in the morning everything was still in good order and the women must have laid their plans well beforehand in order to find hiding places where they could lie in security No trace of them has since been found

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The window-smashing raids continued in London today Two immense windows in an establishment in Oxford street which has heretofore been immune because of the proprietors contributions to the women funds were broken during the early morning hours.

The postal authorities today issued a notice that here would be delay on all telegrams to the north of England as the result of cutting of the telegraph wires in the provinces by the suffragettes yesterday.

ALL BECAUSE OF ONE MAN'S TALK.

Washington, Feb. 8.—Senators Watson and Chilton, of West Virginia, are completely exonerated of the charge of corruption in connection with elections two years ago, in a report decided upon today by the senate elections committee.

"The only charge was traceable to the assertion by Delegate L. J. Shock of the West Virginia legislature that he had been paid $1,000 and promised more if he would vote for the two senators. He has retracted the charge, and with that retraction the entire accusation falls to the ground," said Chairman Dillingham today explaining the course taken by the committee.

HAUNTING SHADOWS OF PRISON

DRAW NEARER TO FORMER SENATOR GEO. K. CETONE.

Found Guilty of Bribery and Sentenced to Serve Three Years.

COURT OF APPEALS FINDS AGAINST HIM

Overruling Objecting of the Defense to the Conviction

Because Acceptance of Paltry $200.00 Shows Cetone's Intent.

Columbus, O, Feb 8 —Affirming the decision of the lower court, the court of appeals today handed down a decision which in effect, places George K. Cetone, former state senator from Montgomery county, one step nearer the penitentiary, to which he was sentenced for three years by Judge Evans for alleged bribery.

The appeals court declare that there is no foundation for the position of the defense that Cetone was convicted upon the uncorroborated testimony of Detective Smiley, who was an accomplice It states that Smiley was corroborated by Dr George R Nye and by stenographer Walcutt, who occupied the room adjoining the room in which the bribe was given The court holds that an objectionable case of entrapment is not presented, for the reason that Detective Smiley had no conversation with Senator Cetone until he had talked with Cetones agent, Rodney J. Diegle sergeant-at-arms of the senate who arranged a meeting for Cetone with the detective

The court also overruled the objection of the defense to the conviction, based upon the assertion that no criminal intent was shown in Cetone offering to further his own bill The court states that this intention is found in the acceptance of the $200 and a promise of favorable action upon the bill, as made by Cetone when he received the 200 in a hotel on April 27, 1911.

Attorneys for the defense will present a motion to the supreme court for permission to file proceedings in error in that court

JUDGE BLAIR WILL EDIT A NEWSPAPER.

Portsmouth, O, Feb 8 —After nine years of service upon the common pleas bench of the Seventh judicial circuit, Judge A. Z. Blair of this city, who conducted the celebrated vote-buying probe in Adams county in 1910-11, today retired to enter a private law partnership and become editor of the Portsmouth Blade He is succeeded as judge by James S Thomas, a democrat Judge Blair is a republican.

MANAGER OF CUBS INSURES PLAYERS

Chicago, Feb 8 — President Charles W Murphy, of the Chicago National league club has announced that he has insured the lives of Manager John J Evers and Catchers James Archer and Roger Bresnahan for $50,000 each for the present year

"I do not think I could replace either of the three players for $50,000 and as a business proposition I decided to insure their lives for $150,000 for my own protection" said Murphy

BUCKET SHOP MEN PAY HEAVY FINES.

Washington, Feb 8 —Eight men caught in the government's anti-bucket shop crusade in 1910 pleaded guilty or nolle contendre in the district supreme court here and paid fines aggregating $50,000.

Louis Calla, of St Louis; Angela Cella and Samuel W. Adler, of New York, pleaded guilty and were fined $10,000 each Oscar J Rappell, of Jersey City, pleaded guilty and was fined $5,000. William F Fox, of Baltimore, and Charles A Alley, of Washington, pleaded contendre and were fined $2,500 each.

The defendants had appealed in vain to the supreme court of the United States This action ends all bucket shop cases pending except that against Price and Company, which will be tried later this month

WARSHIPS ORDERED TO SOUTHERN SEAS.

Washington, Feb. 8. — Four American warships have been ordered to Central America to observe what are believed to be indications of unrest. The Annapolis at San Diego, Calif., was ordered to Amapala, Honduras; the Denver at Caynico, Mex., was ordered to Acajutla, Honduras, the Des Moines at San Domingo, was ordered to Bluefields, Nicaragua, and the Nashville at New Orleans, was ordered to Porto Cortez, Porto Barrios.

TRAIN VICTIM HAD HIS FOOT IN FROG.

Organe, N J., Feb. 8 —His foot caught in the frog of a switch, Thomas G Ryan, a hatter, was cut down and killed by an express locomotive on the Lackawanna railroad near his home here last night. Ryan had stepped from an eastbound track to let a train pass only to be caught in the death trap of the switch on the westbound track.

ONE MOTHER-IN-LAW QUITE HARMLESS.

New York, Feb 8 —A marriage ceremony was called out beside a coffin in which lay the body of the bridegroom s mother, Mrs Siegmund Helfgott, in her home last night Her son George, a lawyer, 24 years of age, and his bride, Miss Violet Regine Lewis, agreed to the unusual procedure as it had been Mrs. Helfgott s dying wish that the marriage be performed beside her body

WOODY'S NEIGHBORS PLAN A FAREWELL.

Princeton, N J Feb 8 —Residents of the little town of Princeton —students members of the faculty, neighbors and town folk generally will say good bye to Woodrow Wilson on the evening of Saturday, March 1, two days before he departs for Washington to assume the presidency Plans for a big farewell demonstration to the president-elect who has lived here for more than 27 years were announced today by Joseph Hoff, a member of the democratic state committee and an intimate friend of the governor.

We want to show Governor Wilson that while we regret to lose him as a neighbor," said Hoff, "we are glad that a resident of the town should be going to the White House"

The farewell probably will take the form of a reception at the Wilson bungalow Citizens of the town will co-operate with the students in making the celebration one of great enthusiasm.

HE APPRECIATES VALUE OF ALIBI.

New York Feb 8 —William Farren regards it as a close shave that, as an innocent man he is not on his way to Sing Sing prison for a life term. Brought to trial on nine counts charging robbery, assault and grand larceny, Farren was declared by seven witnesses as the man who held them up at the point of a revolver in the Bath Beach section of Brooklyn on the night of November 9. If convicted he would have been liable to prison terms amounting to 84 years Notwithstanding the certainty of the witnesses against Farren, Judge Dike in the Kings county court yesterday directed the jury to acquit him because four reputable citizens had sworn to an alibi

COLUMBUS POLICE TAKE QUICK ARREST

Columbus, O, Feb 8 —Several hours after blowing the safe of Fred H Buxton a jeweler at Granville, and securing about $1,000 in jewels, and cash, four burglars were captured on the outskirts of this city early this morning as they were entering Columbus on a traction car

Although the four men were heavily armed, they were taken by surprise before they had time to pull their revolvers Practically all of the stolen jewelry was found on their clothes and taken from them Enough nitroglycerin and fuses were found in possession of the men to blow several safes

The men describe themselves as James Neary, of Chicago, John Baker, of Madock, Ind.; William Longfellow, of St Louis and George Winslow, who says he has no home. All four men will be returned to the Granville police

INDIAN THORPE WILL NOT ATTEND.

Boston, Mass, Feb 8 —Boston was the mecca today for 500 amateur athletes from many sections of the east to compete tonight in the annual indoor invitation track meet of the Boston Athletic association Deciding as it virtually does, many intercollegiate indoor championships, the meet has attracted leading college athletes and Olympic stars Conspicuous among the events to be decided tonight is the Hunter mile The entrants include Kiviat and Sheppard of the Irish-American Athletic club, New York, Taber, of Brown University, and Hedlund, of Boston Three wins are necessary to obtain permanent possession of the trophy, on which Kiviat and Hedlund have each one leg There are nine other regular track and field events, and twenty relay races including two Yale Harvard contests.

UNCLE SAM SENDS HIS WAR SHIPS

TO BOTH COASTS OF CENTRAL AMERICAN WATERS.

Indications Are That Some Trouble is Brewing Down There.

FIVE MEN OF WAR ORDERED SOUTH.

Peanut Politicians of Latin Republics Stir Up Strife.

Protection of American Interests Demands Stringent Action.

Washington, Feb. 8.—Preparations for rushing five United States men o war to both coasts of Central America, to meet any emergency which may arise from the brewing unrest there, went forward rapidly today.

The gunboat Annapolis with her crew of jackies augmented from the South Dakota and Colorado started last night from San Diego, Calif., for Amapala, Honduras, to stand guard on the Pacific side The Nashville at New Orleans is making ready for sea and is expected to put out for Puerto Cortez, Honduras, on the Atlantic side, early Monday morning The cruiser Des Moines, now at Guantanamo, the Cuban naval station coaling, has been ordered to be at Bluefields, Nicaragua, not later than February 13. The Denver, which has been standing by distressed Americans threatened by attack from Mexico rebels at Acapulco, will put out from there in a day or two and drop down to Acajutla, Salvador

It is practically decided that these four ships whose movements were decided upon late yesterday, after Washington had received reports of possible trouble in the Latin republics, will be augmented by the gunboat Tacoma, now at Boston. Final orders for her movement have not yet been issued but are expected probably today.

From its confidential sources in Central America, this government, especially interested in preserving the peace among the little republics, has been receiving ominous and speculative reports of juntas of deposed dictators and revolutionists meeting here and there, plotting to stir up trouble While the presence of American warships would be principally intended to provide refuge for Americans and other foreign citizens, there is no doubt that marines and bluejackets might be used in the interior if a situation should rise paralleling that in Nicaragua in the recent revolution when American troops were called upon to open a railroad and openly engage the rebels in battle

There has been sharp criticism in congress of this government's interference in the Nicaraguan revolution, but it is said President Taft and Secretary Knox are firmly convinced of their right to use American forces for the protection of United States citizens and property whenever a state of anarchy exists in Central America or the established governments failed to do so

JEKYL-HYDE CASE IN CLEVELAND.

Cleveland, O, Feb 8 —John M. Roach automobile dealer and Nottingham Sunday school teacher, was indicted by the grand jury today on charges brought by Anna Baumgartner He is also facing a charge of contributing to the delinquency of Bernice Bulman, daughter of a neighbor, once a stenographer in his office.

CAPTURED ITALIAN BLAMED FOR MURDER

Cleveland, O, Feb 8.—The police believe that in the arrest of an Italian here, they have captured the man who last Sunday night murdered R E Byrne, a retired lake captain, when the latter attempted to prevent the burglarizing of his home. The man's name is being withheld while he is given the "third degree." He has been twice identified as the owner of articles left on the scene of the attempted robbery and murder.

Captain Byrne' murder was the climax of a series of desperate holdups and killing that have occurred in Cleveland the last few weeks.

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SPIRIT OF PROGRESS

PREVAILS AT ROUSING MEETING IN COURT HOUSE

Where Proposition of New or Remodeled Building is Presented.

OPINIONS VARIOUS AND NUMEROUS

All Agree, However, That Present Edifice is In adequate

To Properly Meet the Demands of the County's Huge Business.

Successful in a large degree was the meeting that was held today in the assembly room of the court house for the discussion of the best mode of procedure for the furnishing of more adequate accommodations for the county officials, and for making some arrangement for the rooming of the new appellate court, which will locate in one of the cities of this district of 16 counties, and very much wanted in Lima.

The people present at the meeting were representative of every part of this county as well as being from every occupation, walk of life, and circumstance; Farmers, lawyers, mechanics and laborers mingled together and spoke their opinions freely as to what should be done in the present question.

The general trend of the remarks brought out the almost general belief that the estimate of two hundred and fifty thousand dollars for the repairs suggested for the old building was too high, and that it would load upon the shoulders of the tax payers too much of a burden—that the recompense would not be in just ratio to the expenditure.

However prevalent this opinion may have been, it was still the concensus of opinion this morning that something should be done and the majority, feeling that it would be directly for the inestimable good of the city directly, and for the county indirectly to have the court of appeals located here, and Lima made the capital of the 16 counties which compose this district.

There was a great variance of opinion, and no small amount of feeling was shown in some of the remarks that were made, for everyone seemed to see the import of the proposed action, and its meaning for the future as well as for the present. None was there who dealt with the matter lightly, but everyone agreed that the very deepest of thought should be expended, and every soul in the county should make an individual investigation of the conditions now existing, before a definite action would be taken.

The meeting was called to order at shortly after 10 o'clock by Commissioner Fry, who in a few remarks stated the matters that were to be discussed, and the reasons for calling the meeting. He pointed out the present condition of the court house, the delapidated and leaky state of the roof, the resultant disruption in the walls and ceilings of the second floor, particularly in the offices with records and duplicates. He mentioned the work that had been done in the matter by the commissioners, told the meeting that there was nothing but necessary preliminary steps taken by the commissioners, and that all was merely preparatory, and done that the matter might come before the people with some semblance of form and color; that the architect had been employed, and he had consulted with engineers, that some idea might be had both of possible work to be done, and the expense thereto, in conjunction with the real plausibility of such a scheme.

Mr. Fry then proceded to describe to the meeting the plans as they had been suggested to the commissioners and put on paper by the architects. He closed his remarks by first stating that during the noon hour these sketches would be in the court room, that all might see them. With an appeal to all present to not take issue in a personal or bitter manner, but to discuss this as it stands, for a scheme for the mutual good of all, he closed.

The first speaker was Karl Mattias, who in broken English offered a protest against the assigning of the work of the plans by the commissioners to one set of architects without giving all a chance.

B. F. Jennings, of Rockport, was the next speaker. He stated that he failed to see the economy or the sense in putting two hundred and fifty thousand dollars into a building which in the first place cost but two hundred and thirteen thousand; and still have apparently little more than an old building. He said he failed to see the logic in this, and further, that he could not see why this sudden new need should be met when for the past some time there has been such a loud cry for a new jail. He favored the retaining of the present site for the buildings, but thought that the proper thing to do would be to build a new jail, and build it so that the lower floor would be the jail, and that above this there should be accommodations for all the courts. That there should be a separation of the legal and court business of the county from the clerical monetary and recording departments.

Following the remarks of Mr. Jennings a motion was made that a time limit of from three to five minutes be put upon every speaker. This was carried without a dissenting voice.

Mr. Waldo Berryman was next on his feet, and after apologizing to all speaking though only a young man, while there were so many gray-haired fathers present, he began to propose a plan which he outlined at great length in the meeting of the Progressive Association last evening. He advocated the bringing of an expert here by a committee to be appointed, and that this expert submit to the citizens a plan which would take in many other buildings which would be needed in the future, as well as at present, and that some kind of organized procedure be adopted. Time was called on him before he made his idea clear to all.

Following Berryman, J. W. Kemper, of Perry township, made a few brief remarks. He favored putting a new roof on the present building and thought that the present accommodations were commodious enough, but that the officials merely had too large an opinion of their duties and importance. He thought it would be imposing on good nature to have Allen county build a home for the court of 16 counties, and that this should be done share and share alike, each county paying pro ratia.

Attorney Kent Hughes then took the floor, and outlined another plan. He favored the laying aside of sentiment and the making the matter strictly one of business.

His plan was to sell the present lot on the corner, which he figured would bring two hundred thousand dollars. This would take only the land occupied by the court house. He then suggested the buying of the lot west of the alley west of the jail, which one hundred and fifty feet he thought could be had for fifty thousand dollars. There would then be left from the proceeds of the sale one hundred and fifty thousand dollars. With this a most modern and complete building could be built upon the land, should it be kept within moderate lines. He wanted to discard the old fancy work on the court house plan, and have a plain but fine block, facing on the sidewalk, and similar in outer appearance to a business block. He quoted the price made on the new block about to be built on Market street, the finest in the city, six stories in height, for ninety-five thousand dollars.

A speech was called for from Daniel Harpster. He responded, saying he had felt the pulse of the county, and felt that it was the tax, and the probable increase that would come with this bond issue that all feared. He did not favor the changing of the location of the county capital. He brought the meeting down to the gist of all the argument. Does the present building need repairs? Is it large enough?

Elmer McClain, with a few apologies for speaking though yet a young man, favored the system plan. He had seen the work done in Cleveland, where much was planned ahead, where the court house was built and all the new buildings nearby made to conform. He wanted the work done right when it was being done.

A call for Mr. Sutton resulted in a speech from this gentleman. He favored repairing the building as it now stands, but could not see the project of putting the suggested sum into it. He suggested some repair for the jail.

A call next came for words from W. B. Richie. Mr. Richie asked all to do as they thought best, and they would then please him. However, he said he was not accustomed to seeing Allen county stop, take a back seat and retire, for she had never done this.

Mr. Goebel was then called upon for his opinions. He defied the men who had stated that so many present were about through with life. He was still going, he said, and would, but he wanted the work that was to be done, as it always had been done before, mostly for the present and very near future. He said the plans presented looked very good to him and he liked them. He had changed his mind since investigating.

D. C. Henderson, Lima attorney, was next called. Mr. Henderson emphasized the necessity of thorough investigation by all before they expressed their opinions, for he was sure all against it before would change their views. He said he had been strong on the negative side until he had gone into the matter carefully, when he decided that the ocurse of remodeling was "a good, sound, sensible, business proposition." He then told of the trouble, the unending litigation and the immense expenditure of money that had been caused in Putnam county by the destruction of the records. The same had been the case in Cincinnati, said he, and will be in Allen county if they are not protected.

The last speaker of the morning was C. C. Ludwig, of Delphos. He stated that he stood in favor of the matter as it was presented. He had heard it said that it was a scheme among the lawyers, but it appeared to him that the burning of the court house, or other destruction of the records would be a perfect bonanza for them.

A motion to adjourn until one o'clock was carried.

The meeting was called to order again this afternoon, and the general discussion of the matters under fire was taken up. All present seem to have opinions, and there is no want for speakers. A motion that a meeting of a similar nature, in fact a continuation of this meeting, be called in the assembly room on Saturday afternoon on the 22nd of February. This motion was carried and the agreement to this generally understood.

Fugh Troubles Over.

Judgment by confession to the amount of one hundred and forty dollars was given yesterday afternoon in the common pleas court of this district, in the case of Cora Fugh against William Fugh and Jacob C. Plauger. The case is one in which the plaintiff is petitioning for a divorce, and asking for alimony, when the attention of the plaintiff was called to the fact that her husband has disposed of a horse and buggy to one Jacob C. Plauger, in order as alleged that he would thereby keep her from obtaining the allmony.

After the court had heard the matter, and the judgment through confession had been recorded, Mr. Plauffession hod been recorded, Mr. Plauger was instructed to pay the money to the plaintiff.

Another Case.

A new divorce case was filed into yesterday with the clerk of the courts, Joseph W. Smith, alleging that the wife has for the past year failed to perform her household duties, and that during last April the defendant abandoned the plaintiff. The petition states that the defendant is able to perform these duties. They have been married for thirty-four years.

McFARLAND TO BOX BRITTON IN NEW YORK.

JACK BRITTON PACKIE McFARLAND.

The much talked of match between the star lightweights, Packie McFarland and Jack Britton, has been made. They will meet at Madison Square Garden during the first week in March, the exact date to be determined later. The articles call for a ten-round bout, weight limit 135 pounds, scaling at 3 o'clock in the afternoon. Britton will receive 20 per cent. of the gross gate, which may reach $25,000. Packie will take down a $6,000 guarantee, with the privilege of accepting 30 per cent. if it exceeds the guarantee.

DIVORCE COLONY IN A PANIC.

Governor's Plan to Revise Law Startles Reno Lawyers.

Governor Oddie's message to the Nevada legislature recommending that the period of residence in divorce actions be made one year instead of six months has created consternation among Reno divorce lawyers, and efforts will be put forth immediately to block any possible legislation.

Governor Oddie asserts that Nevada is injured through adverse advertising and that the condition has become intolerable.

He recommends that no change be made until Jan. 1, 1914, which would not affect the present residents of the colony.

FACED BY ANGRY MOB OF MINERS

WEST VIRGINIA SHERIFF HAS SERIOUS TASK

Of Clearing Up the Trouble With Strikers in Mountain Village.

GOVERNOR REFUSES TO SEND TROOPS

Until All the Details of Last Night's Rioting Are Received.

Troublesome District Has Been Under Martial Law Since Last Year.

Charleston, W. Va., Feb. 8.—Governor Glasscock, Adjutant General D. D. Elliott and other state officers awaited with anxiety this morning information from Mucklow concerning the fate of Sheriff Bonner. He and twenty-five deputies of Kanawha county, who at an early hour were reported to be facing an angry mob of striking miners in the little mountain village.

With Sheriff Bonner Hill and his men were Captain L. Guy Levy and a small party of mine guards, and it was their belief that they could maintain their positions for an indefinite period. They are armed with modern rifles and a rapid fire gun.

Sheriff Hill asked the governor early today for troops but at the executive offices it was stated that no actinon would be taken until the details of last nights rioting had been received here.

Significance is attached to the fact that two miles from the scene of last nights skirmish is located one of the largest camps of striking miners in the Kanawha coal field. Shooting from the train, attacked on the Chesapeake and Ohio railway during the night was in the direction of the camp, and it was feared that if any of the women and children had been hurt the sheiff and his men would be unable to restrain the angry men would be unable to restrain the angry men as the outnumbered the posse ten to one, and are said to be well armed. The martial law proclamation under which troops were seent in to the coal fields last year is still in force.

The legislature is in session and it was rumored here this morning that the governor would confer with some of the leaders before answering the call of Sheriff Hill for troops

BURGLARY OF BOB BESCHER

Puts Him in a Class Few Players May Hope to Attain.

FIVE YEARS IN SUCCESSION

Nimble Footed Cincinnati Red Has Let Them Red Has Led Them

Bob Bescher of the Cincinnati Reds has a chance to shatter a National league record the coming season by doing what he did last year—namely, setting the pace among the base burglars.

In the past, in the parent organization, players have won the base stealing honors in five campaigns, but not in five consecutive campaigns. Bescher, if he ranks No. 1 among the hassocks filchers in 1913, will be entitled to all the more credit for shattering a National League record by leading the base-stealing brigade five years in succession, since he only has been in the National league a trifle over four seasons, joining the reds in the fag end of the 1908 campaign. Right away he demonstrated that he would bother the catchers, stealing ten bases in the 32 games in which he participated.

In 1909 Bescher, previously denied a trial with Detroit (he would have made an ideal running mate for Tyrus Raymond Cobb) led the National leaguers in base stealing, with 54 larcenies, and the habit he acquired in 1909 he has since maintained, for his rank was No. 1 in 1910, 1911 and 1912.

Bescher, one of the first Cincinnati players who received votes from the Chalmers jury of experts as being the National league's most valuable player, is regarded by many as one of the sanest base-runners in the profession and has the reputation of never trying to boost his record by making unnecessary steals. That the Rhinelander knew when to set out to beat his way to either second or third is evidenced by the fact that only ten times last year he failed to attain the goal for which he set forth. As he made 67 successful steals, his base running average, calculated in the new way, would be .870—figures much than those made by Clyde Milan, the American league's champion base-runner.

Bescher's first unsuccessful attempt to steal was in the game played on May 4, Ivy Wingo of the Cardinals turning him back from second. Wingo did the same thing to Bescher later in the season and was the only backstop who twice halted him. The other backstops who nailed the Cincinnati speeder were Roger Bresnahan, Tom Needham, Jimmy Archer, Will Killifer, "Peaches" Graham, Otto Miller, Chief Meyers and Mike Simon.

Probably the worst day Bescher had on the bases was September 12. In the first inning of a game with Brooklyn, Bescher was caught off second by Pitcher Don Carlos Patrick Regan and later in the same contest the speeder was nailed in an attempt to steal to the midway by Miller. The Superbas won the game 1 to 0.

Thrice Bescher stole three bases in games, the backstops he victimized being Miller, Meyers and Kelly. He scattered his 67 steals through 52 games, making one in each of 40 contests and two in nine. The catchers that Bescher found the easiest to steal on were those employed by St. Louis while the backstops who kept him from taking liberties were New York's. The records of Bescher's successful and unsuccessful steals last year are appended.

LIMA GIRLS WERE VICTORS.

Business Women's Club Basket Ball Team Defeatd Piqua Last Evening.

The basket bal lteam of the Lima Business Women's club came out victorious at Piqua last evening, defeating the Baptist church girls' team on their own floor by a score of 15 to 7. At no time, was the local aggregation in danger of defeat, and they took the lead at the start and were never headed.

The lineup of the local team was as follows:

Mauk, center; Boegle and Wyatt, forwards; Wetherill and Wale, guards; Piper and Goeble, substitutes. The team was accompanied by its coach, Miss Lillian Johnson, and Miss Metz.

ELDERLY PAIR WED AFTER WAITING THIRTY-FIVE YEARS

Romance of Childhood, Thwarted by Feud, Fulfilled at Last.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Sutphen, bridegroom and bride, sailed on a cruise for the West Indies recently. He is sixty-one, and his wife is fifty-three. Their marriage a few days previous followed an attachment of thirty-five years' standing.

The bride was Miss Mary Richards of Lodgepole, Neb. Mr. Sutphen's father and Miss Richards' father were neighbors in Nebraska when the young folks fell in love.

A feud started between the house of Richards and the house of Sutphen, and all communication between the adjoining ranches was broken off. The lovers were kept apart.

A short time later Alfred Sutphen went to California and then to Australia, where he took a big ranch and became a rich man. Sutphen sold out last summer and returned to Nebraska to visit his old home. He found his early sweetheart still true to him.

BABY FACTORIES FOR FUTURE

Scientist Declares it is Possible to Create Human Life.

That it was possible to create human life by chemical means and that a baby factory was not out of the question for the distant future was asserted recently by Dr. Martin Kellog Schermerhorn of the department of philosophy in Harvard. He spoke before the Metaphysical club, in Boston.

"Life is not confined to the animal and plant world," he said. "The whole universe is alive, and all that lives is conscious.

"Animals are conscious and gifted with the power of thought and imagination, even though Roosevelt, who thinks himself a great hunter, says they do not know when they are being slaughtered.

"Plants are conscious, and Ruskin and Goethe agree they are capable of exercising strategy and forethought. Even Darwin said plants were sensitive, and hence he must have believed they were conscious.

"It is obvious that the evolution from so called matter to human life is possible. The chemist of the future will labor so that men shall be made in baby factories, as chickens are hatched in incubators."

Tacking Explained.

"What do people mean when they talk about tacking?" asked Bobby, who had listened to a detailed account of his sister's first experience in a sail boat, but in considerable confusion of mind.

"Oh, you'll know when you're a little bit older," said his sister, but the small round face wore an expression of injury, and she had to explain further

"Why, it's just turning halfway round," she said, with slight hesitation "and then—and then you sail on the bias."

Children Cry
FOR FLETCHER'S
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FOOTWEAR OCTOPUS ATTACKED

FEDERAL OFFICIALS FILE THIRD ANTI-TRUST SUIT

Against United Shoe Machinery Company of New Jersey.

TRUST IS ACCUSED OF BULLYING TACTICS.

Misrepresentation and Dire Threats Killed Off All Competition

Until Today Ninety-nine Per Cent of Business is Controlled.

Trenton, N. J., Feb. 8.—The federal government made its third anti-trust move against the United Shoe Machinery company in a civil suit filed here today, charging the so-called trust with wielding an alleged monopolistic power and unfair trade tactics to force the Keighley company—a competitor—into an unlawful contract for the leasing, sale and fixing the price of an "inseam trimming machine."

The United States district court here was asked to terminate the contract under which the Keighley company gave the United company the exclusive right to lease to shoe manufacturers the "inseam trimming machine," the patent of which is held by the Keighley company. The effect of the agreement is declared to be "to perpetuate and extend a monopoly of the shoe machinery industry in the United Shoe Machinery company of New Jersey."

Following are the defendants to the suit:

United Shoe Machinery company (Boston); Keighley Company, Inc., (Vineland, N. J.); Sidney W. Winslow, Orleans, Mass.; Edward P. Hudd, Newton, Mass.; Charles Percy Keighley, William Bottomley Keighley and Charles Keighley, of Vineland, N. J.

The government's petition is a severe arraignment of the "trust's" alleged unfair practices. The vigorous enforcement of its methods is declared to have driven practically all competitors from the shoe machinery industry giving the $25,000,000, United company control of more than 99 per cent of the trade. The big corporation is described by the government as follows in the bill:

"By misrepresentation and threats it deprives its competitors of their customers. It has threatened its competitors that it will use its enormous resources and powers to take away their customers. By therats it has prevented competing concerns from entering the business. It has given rebates to shoe manufacturers to induce them to use exclusively its machiens. It has discontinued the sale to shoe manufacturers of all the most important machines and unlawfully devised and put into effect leases and licenses containing unreasonable and appressive provisions, which agreements shoe manufacturers are compelled to execute in order to obtain machinery with which to equip their factories."

The company is accused of acquiring patents for valuable inventions and not using them for long periods. Persons assigning patents to the "trust" are alleged to have been required to agree to transfer for a specified time all their future patents or invention of shoe machinery.

To destroy the competition of the Keighey lconcern, the United company is charged with employing alleged unfair methods to make it difficult for its competitor to conduct its business successfully.

The petition points out that the contract gives the United company exclusive right to put out on lease all the "inseam trimming machines" owned or controlled or hereafter made or acquired by the Keighley company. The two corporations agree not to encourage any other person or corporation to enter into business in connection with "inseam trimming machines" except in accordance with the terms of the contract. While the Keighley company retains the right to sell the machines, the contract prohibits it from accepting a price less than $650. The Keighley company is required under the agreement to pay $200 to the United company for every rapid inseam trimming machine it sells.

The petition is signed by Attorney Wickersham, James A. Fowler, assistant to the attorney general, William S. Gregg, special assistant and John B. Vreeland, United States attorney at Trenton.

The contract was entered into only last September. There is pending at Boston a civil suit for the dissolution of the shoe machinery company and one count of indictments returned against its officers for the alleged violation of the Sherman law. The United States supreme court recently dismissed other indictments filed against the same defendants.

TWO SCENES IN TWO LIVES

By MARGARET BARR

One bright, frosty morning an elderly gentleman living on a country road was taking the air walking about his place. It was not spacious, and the house was not palatial. They indicated an owner of moderate means, but there was something about the premises that denoted he was refined. There was a whirring of wheels up the road and an automobile appeared. Beside the chauffeur there was only one person aboard, a middle aged lady well wrapped in fur robes. The vehicle had reached a point perhaps a hundred yards from the place described when there was an explosion like a pistol shot. The auto swerved and in doing so went over.

The chauffeur was unhurt. Not so the lady. The gentleman who saw the catastrophe went to her assistance. She was lying with closed eyes, but she soon opened them and looked at the man bending over her.

"Tell me, madam," he said, "how badly hurt you are that I may decide what to do."

"I don't know," she said in a faint voice, "but I doubt if my injuries are serious."

The chauffeur joined them, and the two carried the lady to the house. Two young ladies, the daughters of the host, took her in charge, while the gentleman telephoned for a surgeon. When the medical man arrived he pronounced the lady unhurt, with the exception of a sprained ankle, which prevented her walking. He said she might be driven to her home at any time. Left alone with her host, the lady said:

"This is a singular meeting, Mr. Canning."

The gentleman started. "We have met before?" he asked.

"Yes. You were once well known to me. But that was twenty years ago, and my age is just double what it was then. It is not remarkable that you should not recognize me."

"But you have recognized me."

"There is a reason for that."

"Will you give it?"

"Yes, but not directly. I will tell you a little story. The scene is the veranda of a house on an eminence overlooking a river. The season is spring. The hour was that when the twilight fades into night. A new moon is standing over the western horizon.

"Two young persons were sitting on the veranda, a man and a woman. The man took her hand in one of his; the other he stole around her waist. 'I love you,' he said, 'and I wish you to be my wife.' The words were simple but more winning from their simplicity. It was the happiest moment of her life.

"But not relishing being won too easily she asked for time, promising an answer within a few days. He assented, but reluctantly. When a few days had passed she looked for him to come to her for her answer. He did not come. A month passed and she received a letter from him from a distant city, telling her that he had suddenly been called away; that a new field had opened to him, but that it would be a long while before he could expect any great success. Had she loved him deeply she would not have asked for time. This was probably fortunate since he could not be near her, a long while must pass before they could be married, and he would only stand in her way of being settled for life. If she agreed with him in this an answer to the question he had asked was not necessary. If that answer was to have been 'Yes' and she preferred to stand by it she might write him, and he would do his best to make good his offer.

"This chilled her first and only love. She wrote him that doubtless he was right about the matter, and since his view was hers, she considered his offer annulled."

The lady had reached this point which was the end of her story, when one of the young ladies in the house brought in a dainty luncheon on a salver. She would have lingered, but her father told her that the stranger was not equal to seeing more than one person at a time. The girl withdrew. Then he spoke.

"There is a period in a man's life between, say, eighteen and twenty-five, when what he is to be is forming. He is clay ready to thrust into the furnace. This person you speak of was then in that condition. He was at an important point of his life when the two elements, caution and daring, are struggling for the mastery. In his case caution prevailed. And yet for a time the chances between the two were equal.

"This person who at a critical moment looked behind him never again came to a point where he could confidently, fearlessly look before him. He has lived a negative life. He has been a failure."

There was a deep sadness in his last words. The lady took his hand in hers and pressed it sympathetically.

"The carriage that was ordered has arrived," said one of the young girls, throwing open the door.

The injured woman was helped to the carriage and when seated thanked those she left for their kindness, then she was driven away.

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Paris Feb. 8.—San Marino, the smallest independent state in Europe—the confines of the country are so restricted that the army has never fired its own piece of artillery for the reason that the projectile would invade foreign soil—has just elected its rulers for the next constitutional period. The election took place at about the same time that France elected M. Poincare to succeed M. Fallieres to the presidency of France, but it was attended with no excitement, no campaigning and practically no uncertainty, and San Marino will now continue with its new regents for a space of six months, when the next election takes place.

The Grand Council of San Marino, composed of sixty members, elect the two rulers who preside over the destinies of the state under the title of Captains Regent. The regents are chosen by the council without their having even to go through the formality of announcing their candidature.

San Marino has existed as a sovereign independent state since the first dawn of modern history. Its army will never trouble the peace of Europe, consisting as it does of a dozen carabiniers and a few customs houses examiners. The state, which lies between two provinces of Italy, has a population of about 10,000 people and an area of 38 square miles. The cannon which is never fired for fear of international complications, rests in peace in the courtyard of the Government House.

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M. Poincare, the president-elect of France, will depart from the customary seclusion of French presidents and accept freely such private invitations as he may desire.

The etiquette has been that the president confine his social life to a small circle of intimate personal friends and to vast official entertainments given by himself and paid for out of the $120,000 allowed for that purpose by the government. M. Poincare sees no reason, he says, to live the secluded life of a monarch or to deprive himself of instructive and pleasant social intercourse with his fellow men, and he will do neither.

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There is no center where the disappearance of the war cloud would be received with greater pleasure than in Paris. Ever since in September the shadow of the Balkan complications, and then the actual operations of war, have influenced trade and commerce adversely. The reason is the sensitiveness of the market, inseparable from furs and furbelows, feathers, silks, satins, and jewelry, which constitute the basis of French industry. Prosperity is great, but it is a prosperity dependent on fashion and its changes, and hence is subject to constant fluctuations.

A sign of better times, however, is the immense amount of rebuilding now going on in the city. Old houses are coming down to give place to showy, new business promises, overlaid with ornamentation.

This activity in bricks and mortar in the center of the town is proof of the Perisians reluctance to inhabit the suburbs. There is practically no [illegible] on in the districts outside the city walls. Until the great new avenues are pierced, uniting central with external Paris, the Parisian refuses to leave the light and warmth of the city. Versailles, St. Germain, St. Cloud and other suburban centers make little progress in population, whilst Paris grows denser every day by reason of the tendency to build upward in the American style. If it were not for the building laws Paris would grow skyscrapers of its own as high as the Eiffel tower. The desire is there, as well as the temperament to tear down the old; but for the moment authority still restrains the extreme efforts of the innovators. But if skyscrapers have not come in the American sense of the word, American building methods have been implanted, and will assuredly flourish.

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Accepting the definition that seasickness is due to a [illegible]ular vasomotor spasm and anem[illegible] of the nervous system, a Dr. Burwinkel has tried the use of nitro-glycerine as a specific against the illness.

While at sea recently he administered to a number of people suffering from seasickness a table-spoonful of a solution composed of 20 drops of nitro-glycerine in alcohol and distilled water.

The unpleasant symptoms vanished rapidly and completely. It must be admitted, however, that the beneficial effects did not last very long, and it became necessary to take several doses during the day.

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There has just died in Switzerland the engineer whose duty it had been to drive the special imperial train that carried Emperor Nicholas on his journeyings in Russia. He was possessed of a considerable fortune, a result of the largess of his master.

Although a Swiss, Dominique Hof had been in the service of the Russian railways for forty years. During the last fifteen of them he had driven the Emperor's private trains from Moscow to Odessa and to other places in Russia. Hof, who retired a few months ago, would never say more of his experience than hint at singular dangers he had risked, and the immense bribes that he had refused from revolutionists and from members of the secret police in their desire to test his uprightness.

HASN'T HAD HAIR CUT SINCE BRYAN WAS DEFEATED IN 1896, TO VISIT BARBER AFTER WILSON INAUGRAL.

E. F. BOCKWELL

In 1896, when Bryan was defeated by McKinley, E. F. Bockwell, a Kansas Bryan fan, vowed that his hair would remain uncut until a Democratic president had taken the oath of office. As is shown by the photograph, Mr. Bockwell has kept his vow. The barbers at Washington are seeking the honor of cutting his luxuriant growth of seventeen years, for after witnessing the Wilson inaugural Bockwell will hasten to a tonsorial parlor, and his Lady Godiva tresses will be made a memory.

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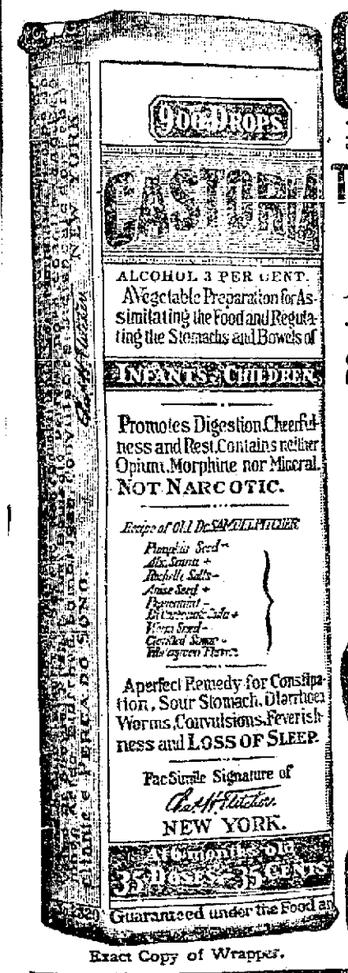

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THOMAS KEVILLE IS DANGEROUSLY ILL.

Son Called Home Yesterday on Account of Serious Condition of His Father.

The many friends of Thomas P. Keville, Sr., of east Wayne street, will be pained to learn that he is seriously ill at his home with an attack of pleuro-pneumonia. Owing to his advanced years, his illness is viewed with alarm by his family, but it was reported today that he was holding his own.

While his illness has been of short duration, so serious did his condition become yesterday that his son, Thomas P. Keville, Jr., telephone attendant at the house of representatives in Columbus, was called to his bedside, and he arrived home late last evening.

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All Men and Women Available Enlist In Work of Nurses—Schools Used For Sufferers—Turks Receive Good Treatment—Queen a Samaritan, Visiting the Patients With Delicacies.

The Balkan war will be known as one of the bloodiest in history. This is due as much to the mutual hatred of the belligerents as to the short time in which the conflict was waged. At Lozengrad (Kirk Kilise) the number of casualties on both sides exceeded 25,000, while at Lule Burgas the Turkish killed and wounded alone numbered nearly 50,000. The losses of the Bulgarians are placed at 20,000 killed and wounded. In the fierce five day battles in the vicinity of Tchorlu the Turks lost 40,000 in dead and wounded, according to Turkish sources, while the Bulgarians had 15,000 casualties.

It is announced officially that in Constantinople there are to be found not fewer than 50,000 wounded soldiers. Throughout Bulgaria it is believed that as many men are lodged in the hospitals. Bulgaria has more wounded than Turkey, owing to the fact that this country was adequately provided with sanitary squads, who did their work excellently on the field. The Bulgarian wounded were immediately picked up, sent to the temporary hospitals and thence taken to the interior.

Task Is a Heavy One.

The arduous task of the Bulgarian Red Cross society was greatly augmented by the necessity of caring for the Turkish wounded also, including those severely hurt. The impetuous advance of the Bulgarians gave their enemy no chance to pick up the dead. Those of the Turks who were slightly hurt could escape with the general army, but those who were severely crippled fell into the hands of the enemy and had to be taken care of by the medical authorities.

Bulgaria just now is converted into a veritable hospital. Nearly all available public buildings have been utilized as temporary hospitals. It may not be a mistake to say that in no other war have incapacitated soldiers been better provided for than in this one. This can be explained by the fact that the whole nation is engaged in the Samaritan work. All men not otherwise occupied and women have given themselves up to the noble work of nursing the sick. Though all are not experienced in that specialty, still their readiness and desire to be useful greatly facilitate the hospital work. Even high school boys and girls have volunteered to help, and in many cities their services have been found very efficient. There are no schools open now, most of them having been turned into barracks and dispensaries.

Turks Well Cared For.

In Bulgaria more than 3,000 Turkish wounded are being cared for. In many cases they are being given the preference, and this has lately caused not a little indignation among the Bulgarians. Three weeks ago there were brought nearly 100 more Turkish wounded with five officers, who were in the Lule Burgas and Tchorlu battles. Nearly all of them were badly hurt.

The fine military school at Kulajevo, five miles from Sofia, was made ready for them in advance. The large buildings are very suitable for the purpose. The beds used by the cadets are today used by their enemies. The structures are well heated and ventilated.

Queen Eleanora has taken special interest in the Turks, and at her request the English Red Cross society contingent has been attached to the Bulgarian sanitary corps, charged with looking after the welfare of the Ottomans. A day or two ago the queen paid a visit to the premises and inspected every ward, distributing cigars and delicacies to the wounded. She stopped at the bedside of several of the patients, and the Turks, though not knowing who she was, were affected by the unusual interest and motherly affection shown them. One of them muttered to his near comrade, "Allah, she is kinder than our own mother!" Another fellow who could hardly move his shattered body was so touched by the angel of mercy that he shed tears.

Queen Proves Angel.

Heavy groans attracted the "great mother" of the Bulgarians to another sufferer. The moment their eyes met the patient ceased groaning. The queen patted him on the forehead and pronounced the word "Allah" as she looked upward. The soothing influence of Queen Eleanora's presence upon these strangers struggling between life and death was inescribable. Her care is now mainly given to inspecting the hospitals and other similar institutions throughout Bulgaria.

Several correspondents remained with the wounded Turks in order to learn something from some of those who are allowed to talk. One can at once tell the Arab and Manaf (a native of Asia Minor) from the Balkan Turk. The former have milder features and look more intelligent. The European Turk has a fierce countenance, coarse features and an inborn stubbornness These declined to talk.

WORLD'S BIGGEST WARSHIP.

Brazil's Super-Dreadnought Rio de Janeiro Is Launched In England.

The largest and most powerful battleship afloat, the Brazilian super-Dreadnought Rio de Janeiro, was launched at Elswick, England, recently.

She displaces 27,500 tons and is armed with fourteen twelve-inch and twenty six-inch guns. She is designed to attain a speed of twenty-two knots an hour.

The Rio de Janeiro is the third and last of the battleships ordered by the Brazilian government in July, 1906. The first to be launched was the Minas Geraes, at Newcastle-on-Tyne, on Sept. 10, 1908. She has a displacement of 20,000 tons and carries twelve twelve-inch guns. Her sister ship, the Sao Paulo, was launched at Barrow-in-Furness on April 19, 1909.

QUITS SOCIETY TO TAKE VEIL.

Third Daughter of Rear Admiral Follows Example of Others.

Miss Frances Potts, youngest daughter of Rear Admiral Robert Potts, has followed the example of her two elder sisters despite her father's pleading and forsaken society for the quiet of the cloister.

On Feb. 11 she made her final vows as a member of the Carmelite order in Baltimore, which means that her father will never see her face again in life. The nuns are pledged to silence and perpetual prayers.

The Potts sisters were very popular in Washington society, and all three are beautiful.

BOYS' CORN CLUBS NATIONAL.

Contests Started by Bureau of Plant Industry Prove Successful.

Boys' corn club contests, started a few years ago by Secretary Wilson through the bureau of plant industry of the United States department of agriculture, have become so successful and popular in the south that the movement has become national in character. A recent circular of the bureau of plant industry is an interesting contribution to the subject.

"The national corn club is an important factor," says the circular, "in directing rural boys to the business of farming as a profitable and noble profession. The boys are needed for the efficiency of the farm, and their work and leadership must be had if American agriculture is to keep step with the march of civilization."

PIRATES GET STANDARD OIL.

Chinese Freebooters Board Trust's Junk and Kill Captain.

The disorderly elements in the province of Fukien have become so formidable that the authorities are unable to cope with them. Traffic has become unsafe except for very strong parties, and these are compelled to keep to the principal roads.

Pirates are very frequent on the Dragon river, even large vessels being attacked. A junk chartered by an American oil company was boarded by pirates recently, and the captain was killed.

1,176 Swains In Gloom.

There are 1,176 letters in the dead letter office for "Miss Z. X. Radcliffe of Elgin, Ill." This mysterious person wrote to the mayor of San Francisco some time ago and asked him to help her get a husband who would appreciate a good girl and $30,000. Her letter was published in San Francisco papers. Answers rained into Elgin, but nobody called for them.

BOY SIX FOOTER AT THIRTEEN

Lad Outgrows One Suit After Another. Weighs Two Hundred Pounds.

Somerset county, Pa., has a thirteen-year-old boy six feet six inches tall and still growing. For two years he has been wearing long trousers, and his fond parents are puzzled what to do with him, because he outgrows his clothes before he outwears them.

He is well developed and strong and weighs in the neighborhood of 200 pounds. Although normal at birth and when a child, within the past two years he began to sprout up to an enormous height, and a special bed was constructed before he could obtain rest.

THE IDLER.

The many Lima friends of Mr. and Mrs. Gerard Scott, formerly Lima residents, but for the last number of years residents of Columbus, will be pleased to note the recognition that their daughter, Miss Louise Scott, has received at the hands of her classmates in the Ohio State university. Miss Scott is this year a junior in this university, and has been selected as one of the committee of six who have entire charge of the Junior Promenade. This is at O. S. U. as in a great many other schools, the largest social affair that a class is responsible for throughout the entire four years' course. It is therefore quite an honor to be selected upon this committee, as the social standing of the class depends upon the quality of the "Prom" which it gives during the junior year. Miss Scott is one of the most popular young women in the university, as well as in her class.

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That they might more satisfactorily meet the demands of the large automobile field in which they are located, the McLeod and Barr Auto Sales company have received a shipment of thirty machines, all the latest model. These cars make a nice display as they stand in line on the floor of the salesroom on west North street.

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Mr. and Mrs. Philip Albert have returned from Chicago where they have been enjoying the Chicago automobile show. Tuesday, Mrs. Albert leaves for the eastern markets where she will arrange for her stock of spring millinery.

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THE WEATHER.

Columbus, O., Feb. 8.—Forecast for Ohio: Fair tonight and Sunday.

A note which Governor Cox has received from more than 100 long term prisoners in the Ohio penitentiary contains proof that the executive spoke the truth when he said there remains something substantial within these unfortunates, which can be used as a foundation for the building of upright men and women The message shows that the governor by his address recently to the prisoners kindled the sparks of honor and integrity within them that had been extinguished by the darkness, cruelty and savageness of punishment.

There is a tone about the message which shows that the governor inspired desires to reform and to lead better lives in the minds of the prisoners who were committed for the more serious offenses. And this is undoubtedly true of the less serious offenders.

The letter addressed to the governor by the prisoners reads "We the undersigned inmates of the Ohio penitentiary wish to express to you our deepest appreciation for your message of encouragement delivered at our chapel service We, as long term men, wish to co-operate with you to show to the world at large that your interest towards better conditions for the inmates is going to meet with success. We wish to show that by good conduct that we are endeavoring to help towards a betterment of our conditions and would ask that you give us a chance to show that our intentions to make good are sincere."

While the published draft of a proposed bill for the redistricting of the congressional districts of the state may not be the measure on this subject which will be enacted, yet it can be cited to show that democratic party leaders active in this work do not intend to follow in the footsteps of republican leaders, who, more than a decade ago, considered partisan advantage only when they drew the redistricting bill under which the congressional boundaries are now fixed Then the law's provision regarding compactness of territory, uniformity of population, etc, were disregarded and the map of Ohio was defaced with shoe-string districts that were designed to give the republican party the greatest possible number of congressmen, and the democratic party the least number.

The first draft for a redistricting bill which has been submitted, divides the state so as to give the democratic party 10 of the 22 districts, the estimate being based on the full strength of the democratic and republican parties as displayed at the polls in 1908.

The democrats have been more than fair in this proposal, and it is just such leadership that has made the party invincible in the state, and is making the commonwealth one of the most reliable democratic strongholds in the Union.

KEEPING THE GIRL ON THE FARM.

Secretary Sandles of the state board of agriculture has introduced many beneficial innovations in the administration of his department. He has been practical rather than academic and has not been afraid to pioneer instead of following a beaten path as the heads of many state departments do.

To keep the boys on the farm Secretary Sandles instituted the Ohio corn growing contests Farmer boys throughout the state have learned to show price in crop production, they have put veteran agriculturalists to shame in their output of crops per acre, and have awakened greater respect for the agricultural possibilities of Ohio. Secretary Sandles has found, however, that it is rather useless after all to attempt to keep the boy on the farm unless the farmer girl remains also, and he has, therefore, instituted contests to excite the pride of girls in rural life

This move is commendable, although perhaps not so necessary as in the case of the boys It was the boy who first began the hegira from the farm to the white lights of the city. If the boy is kept at home and learns the modern methods of agriculture, he will also learn to eliminate much of the drudgery that has made the farm distasteful to the girl. It is to be hoped so at least The lot of the farmer girl who comes to the city is even harder than that of the farmer boy -Youngstown Telegram.

A CHANCE FOR THE OHIO FARM GIRLS.

The state board of agriculture has responded to the appeal of the farm girls and is going this year to have a crop-raising contest for them with prizes similar to those that were distributed among the boy corn-raisers a few weeks ago Precisely what the girls of the farm will be asked to do to show their skill has not yet been determined but it will not be corn-raising, it will be something more naturally within the scope of their activities.

The decision of the board is good in all respects. The girls of the farm ought to be encouraged. They are as necessary to the farm as are the boys. In fact, the boys wouldn't stay on the farm long, if the girls were not there. So there is both justice and expediency in the decision to give the girls the same kind of a chance as is given to the boys, to win recognition.

These contests are inspiring as well as educational, and the quality of Ohio agriculture is bound to be improved by them—Columbus Despatch

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NO PERFECT WOMAN NOW, SAYS ARTIST.

Sir James Linton, president of the Royal Institute of Painters in Water Colors of London has been drawn into the discussion regarding modern figures as compared with that of the Venus of Milo

"Modern woman is degenerate," he said "She may be beautiful, but the mere fact that she follows fashions in dress is enough to prevent her from being perfect That is why the Venus of Milo is the accepted standard of the ideal. She is perfect in all her proportions, every part being in harmony."

Co-eds' Tootsies Awry.

Little feet, big feet, cute feet, well rounded feet, feet that appeared as marble figures, flat feet—in fact, 340 pairs of feet, all the property of the co-eds at the University of Illinois—were examined in an experiment which terminated recently

Of all the feet only one pair came up to the standard college professors say feet should possess Poor fitting shoes are alleged to be the cause of the imperfections

HOBO CONVENTION OUSTS ITS "MILLIONAIRE" LEADER.

Migratory Workers Tire of James Eads How and Socialism.

James Eads How, the self styled millionaire 'hobo leader' who first organized the "casual, unskilled and migratory workers of the world" and called the first national hobo convention, was repudiated as a leader by the hoboes in convention at New Orleans recently He tried to inject socialism into the proceedings and was told to get out

Tired of How and the monotonous fight between him and President Jeff Davis over the question of socialism, the hoboes broke up the convention of the International Brotherhood Welfare Association threw out How and his principles and organized a 'hobo mass meeting"

How declared he was not a Socialist but merely a "philosophical anarchist," and tried to tell the delegates that Jeff Davis was himself a dyed in the wool Socialist The hoboes, however, howled How down and stood by Davis

"Down with How and his postage stamp philanthropy' He has never given us any of his mythical millions" shouted Davis Then the hoboes yelled

TO SICK MICE ON SUFFRAGISTS

College Boys Plan Scheme to Rout Great Parade March 3.

Rats and mice are counted on by college students to stampede the suffragist parade on March 3 An unusual demand for rodents was explained recently when the plot, which has spread through virtually every college in the capital was revealed The plan of the collegians is to post their forces along Pennsylvania avenue and at a prearranged signal dash into the marching line with hand bags or parcels containing the mice and shake them out into the street

When the plot was uncovered the suffragette leaders were dismayed Appeal to the police has been made, and Commissioner Rudolph has promised protection The police, however, cannot make arrests until after the mice have been liberated, and the women fail to see that arrests will remedy the situation

President Taft and President Elect Wilson will be the guests of honor of the National Woman's Suffrage association at the big pageant on March 3. They will occupy a box on a large stand at the south front of the treasury.

OUR WANT ADS DO THINGS.

DIRECTORS RE-ELECTED

Stockholders of the Lima Telephone and Telegraph Company.

ANNUAL MEETING HELD AT OFFICE.

Directors in Organization Re-elected Same Officers of Board.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Lima Telephone and Telegraph Company was held on Thursday evening at the company's offices in the Harper block. The chief matter in hand was the election of the directors who will have direct charge of the matters of the company during the ensuing year.

In this meeing the same directors who served with such a high degree of efficiency throughout the past year were re-elected for the coming year. This board is composed of D. J. Cable, W. H Duffield, C. H. Cory, C. F. Stolzenbach, Henry Deisel, S S Wheeler, J. R. Sinclair, J B. Kerr and J. B Hoge

After the meeting of the stockholders, the board of directors went into private session, and in the end announced a re-election of the entire list of officers in their organization, who have served for the past year These officers are D J Cable, president, S S Wheeler, vice president, W H. Duffield, secretary and treasurer George Metheany, secretary and general manager.

Health Warning.

Chilled and wet feet result in congesting the internal organs, and inflammation of the kidneys and bladder, with rheumatic twinges and pain in back, generally follow Use Foley Kidney Pills. They are the best medicine made for all disorders of the kidneys, for bladder irregularities, and for backache and rheumatism They do not contain habit forming drugs Tonic in action, quick in results Enterprise Drug Store

MEMORY OF LINCOLN TO BE OBSERVED.

The 104th anniversary of the birth of the Great Abraham Lincoln will be appropriately observed at the Y. M. C. A, Sunday afternoon by an address at the men's meeting by Rev. Franklin Stiles, of the First Baptist church, at 3 o'clock. There are few men who are not admirers of the great emancipator for his sympathies were so broad and cosmopolitan that all men regardless of station feel something in his nature akin to their own

Rev. Stiles in his address to the shop men on Lincoln last fall attracted hundreds of men and they have been asking for his return ever since

His theme for Sunday will be "Lincoln, His Greater Greatness." Special music will be furnished by the choir of the First Christian church. Those who wish a seat are advised to go early, as standing room will be at a premium. Any man will be cordially welcomed.

When Burton Holmes recently gave his celebrated travologue on "Panama" at Orchestra Hall, Chicago, he was seriously interrupted by continual coughing of the audience No one annoys willingly and if people with coughs, colds, hoarseness and tickling in throat would use Foley's Honey & Tar Compound they could quickly cure their coughs and colds and avoid this annoyance. Enterprise Drug Store

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Comades of Mart Armstrong Post are requested to meet, at post hall on Sunday, February 9th, at 9 a m to attend Abraham Lincoln memorial services at Grace M. E. church on west Kibby street. Comrades requested to wear the badge and the blue.

By Order of
CALVIN OSBORNE,
Commander.

Children Cry
FOR FLETCHER'S
CASTORIA

WHERE To Have Your Pictures Framed ?

Mr. Ed. Willower, formerly with the City Book Store, is now in charge of the framing department at Schell's Book Store and will be glad to meet both old friends and new. With an entirely new and up-to-date line of mouldings, he is prepared to serve the trade in his always satisfactory manner.

Government Indian Land Opening

Special Demonstration and Schooling Car located at the North Main Street crossing of the Pennsylvania R. R., will be **open all day Sunday until 10 p. m.**, to accommodate the hundreds who want to learn how to secure a homestead direct from Uncle Sam. No agents' commissions, as you buy direct from the government.
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No. 2035.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION
—OF—
The First National Bank
At Lima, in the State of Ohio, at the close of business, Feb 4th, 1913

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts,		$308,232 86
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		993 64
U S Bonds to secure circulation,		100,000 00
Bonds, Securities, etc		3,854 00
Banking house, furniture and fixtures,		2,000 00
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents),		87,800 65
Due from approved reserve agents,		135,812 19
Checks and other cash items		1,102 10
Exchanges for Clearing House		5 814 08
Notes of other National Banks,		9,190 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels, and cents,		797 71
LAWFUL MONEY RESERVE IN BANK, VIZ:		
Specie	$27 471 00	
Legal-tender Notes,	17,300 00	44 771 00
Due from U S Treasurer (5% of circulation)		5 000 10
Total,		$908 767 01

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in,	$100,000 00
Surplus fund,	40,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid,	4,157 40
National Bank notes outstanding,	100 000 00
Due to other National Banks	2 831 48
Due to State and private Banks and Bankers	10 844 69
Individual deposits subject to check	599 164 51
Demand certificates of deposit,	132,682 98
Certified checks,	586 00
Total	$908,767 04

STATE OF OHIO, COUNTY OF ALLEN, SS:

I, C D CRITES, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief
C. D. CRITES, Cashier

CORRECT—Attest:
D W MOMES
NELSON SHOOK } Directors
O B SELFRIDGE

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of Feb, 1913
W I. RICHIE
Notary Public

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF

THE LIMA TRUST COMPANY

At Lima, in the State of Ohio. At the close of business, February 4, 1913.

RESOURCES.

Loans on real estate		$ 136,511 56
Loans on collateral		324,794 41
Other loans and discounts		618,461.15
Overdrafts		26 44
State, county and municipal bonds not included in reserve		155 470 00
Other bonds and securities		17,350 00
Banking house and lot		80,000.00
Cash items		1,260.42
Due from reserve banks	$ 216 580 52	
Exchanges for clearing house	10,099 53	
Gold coin	14,930 00	
Silver dollars	3,000 00	
Fractional coin	1,685 49	
U. S and National Bank notes	30,302 00	275,597 54
Total		$1,620,071 52

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in		$ 200,000.00
Surplus fund		45,000 00
Undivided profits less expenses, interest and taxes paid		13,576 56
Dividends unpaid		285.00
Public funds	$ 59,266.27	
Individual deposits subject to check	508,472.70	
Demand certificates of deposit	249,629.41	
Certified checks	3,500.00	
Due to banks and bankers	59,987 15	
Savings deposits	480,354.43	
Total		1,361,209.96
Total		$1,620,071.52

I. C. M Holan, secretary-treasurer of the above named The Lima Trust Company, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. C. M. TOLAN
State of Ohio, County of Allen, s.s.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of February, 1913
MINER A. ATMUR, Notary Public.

Until a short time ago, scarcely one person in a thousand had ever tasted a really good soda cracker—as it came fresh and crisp from the oven.

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Base Burners—We have 8 left. Examine the goods on our floors and be convinced that the Grand is the best coal saver on the market.

$67.00 Value, full nickle.....$45.00
$65.00 Value, full nickle.....$42.00
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$55.00 Value, full nickle.....$35.00
$47.00 Value, full nickle.....$32.00
$45.00 Value, full nickle..... $30.00

Soft Coal Heaters—We have 11 left.

$18.00 Value $10.50
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BERRYMAN HAS A PLAN

Opposed to Remodeling the Court House and Favors New Building.

HIS IDEAS OF A CITY BEAUTIFUL

Were Thoroughly Explained to Directors of Progressive Association.

The first public show of opposition to the plan of remodeling the county court house was made at the monthly meeting of the directors of the Lima Progressive Association last evening, when Waldo Berryman, in a lengthy speech, endeavored to enlist the co-operation of the Association in his proposition to abandon the present building and erect a new structure in a portion of the city apart from the business district which would be set aside for the site of all public buildings, both city and county.

No definite action was taken by the directors of the Association at the conclusion of Berryman's speech, but the majority of them informed him that they would attend the meeting at the court house today, when the matter will be thoroughly discussed. Berryman made known his intention of opposing the project at the meeting held today.

Berryman's plan is for the city and county to join in a project to erect all public buildings in a centrally located site, following the plan in vogue in the larger cities of Europe and which has been followed by a number of cities in this country, notably Cleveland, Toledo, Des Moines and others.

He opposed the expenditure of $250,000 on a building that he claimed was not correctly designed in the first place, and added that the voters of Allen county would not approve of it. He favored the sale of the present building, and with the combined proceeds of the sale and the money voted by the people, the erection of a new building, modern in every respect, and fashioned with some idea of beauty and elegance in architecture.

He argued that the location of the building in its present place was hindering the expansion of the business district to the north and should be abandoned. Both the city and county were in need of better buildings and he favored the sale of the present structures and the erection of new ones in a centrally located district.

Berryman informed the directors that he had investigated the subject thoroughly, and had laid the matter before Mayor Brand Whitlock, of Toledo, who strongly favored it. He further added that Mayor Whitlock would come to Lima within the near future to support his views.

Holmes Resigned.

During the regular business session, the resignation of Frank W. Holmes as a director of the Association was received and accepted, and Attorney Kent Hughes was named in his stead. Hughes was a candidate for the office at the annual election held a few weeks ago.

Secretary Cooney reported to the directors that the matter of building the new street car line to better accommodate the employes of the Gramm Motor Works is now under discussion between Vice President Stevens of the Ohio Electric Railway Company and General Manager Hooke of the Gramm Company, and that favorable developments are expected within the near future. The secretary was instructed to inform Hooke that the Association stood ready to assist him an any time.

An expression from the Baltimore and Ohio railway officials relative to their plans for the local shops of the C., H. & D. Company, is expected within the near future. H. A. Treudly, of Cincinnati, industrial agent for the B. & O., was in this city recently, and conferred with Secretary Cooney.

The directors who attended the meeting last evening were M. M. Kettner, G. L. Newson, D. F. O'Connor, F. E. Harman and Vice President W. T. Agerter, who presided in the absence of President Frank Maire.

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14	Salt Rheum, Eruptions, Erysipelas	.25
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GIRLS WIN WITH EASE

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F. PRIEST STAR OF THE CONTEST.

Entire Team Showed Great Improvement Over the Last Game.

Playing with a vim and an enthusiasm which was greatly increased by the enthusiastic shouts of their fellow students who thronged the galleries, the Lima High School Girls basket ball team took a sweeping victory from the girls from the Paulding high school in the game yesterday. The Paulding girls started the game with a rush, and for the first few minutes it appeared that they were going to have the best of it. However, this was soon over, and turning the tables the Lima girls took the lead played the aggressive and were ever ahead throughout the contest.

The playing of the Lima team throughout was of the first calibre. The team shows wonderful improvement over its condition at the start of the season, and every player is now in the front rank. The Paulding girls were not in it at all, playing ever on the defense and then very weakly. Not a single field goal was scored by them, and their one point is the relic of a foul called by their official.

The Lima girls were never approached in score nor in the quality of their playing. The game went their way throughout. The defensive playing of the guards, the careful playing of the centers, the aggressive work of Clara Graham at forward, and the wonderful basket shooting of Florence Priest, were characteristic throughout the contest. The Paulding girls got very few shots at the goal, and the playing was the major portion of the time in the Lima territory. Miss Priest was the individual star of the afternoon, scoring six baskets, or twelve points out of the fourteen totaled by Lima. Miss Graham threw the other basket.

The lineup:

Lima, 14—F. Priest, f, C. Graham, f, B. Thomson, c, G. Spannagel, cg, H. Spannagel, g, L. Morrison, g.

Paulding, 1—G. Crawford, f; L. Lynn, f; L. Clark, c, R. Shannon, cg, P. Clay, g, C. Yant, g.

Points—F. Priest, 12, C. Graham, 2; C. Lynn, 1. Official Bolen.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Whittington of 956 Richie avenue, are the parents of a son, born this morning being the second child of the family. The little one will be given the name of Richard. Both mother and son are doing nicely. Mrs. Whittington was, before marriage, Mabel Ballard.

NOTICE.

Services at the West Cairo Lutheran church will be held Sunday afternoon at two o'clock, conducted by Rev. C. C. Schaub of Lima. The church extends a cordial invitation and bids a welcome to all to these services.

This is the season of the year when mothers feel very much concerned over the frequent colds contracted by their children, and have abundant reason for it as every cold weakens the lungs, lowers the vitality and paves the way for the more serious diseases that so often follow. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is famous for its cures, and is pleasant and safe to take. For sale by all dealers.

NO CLUE TO THE ROBBERY

Alleged to Have Been Committed at Jenkins Home.

POLICE INCLINED TO DOUBT STORY.

Jenkins, However, is Positive That His Home Was Entered.

In spite of the fact that a more thorough investigation of the alleged robbery at the Jenkins residence on west Spring street late yesterday afternoon has resulted in the discovery by the family of the disappearance of valuable articles other than were first reported to the police, the police department is paying scant heed to the case and is proceeding on the theory that no robbery was comitted.

Mr. Jenkins, who is proprietor of the Manhattan pool room and the Oakland Hotel on west High street, however declares that his home at the corner of Spring and Baxter streets was entered by thieves late yesterday afternoon, and that articles of value were stolen. He further states that the robbers left his house in a topsy-turvy condition after having been frightened away from the scene by the sudden arrival of his eleven year-old son at the home shortly before six o'clock last evening.

In addition to the pocket-book which was reported to the police as stolen last evening, Mr. Jenkins reports this morning the loss of a gold watch, a gentleman's gold chain, and a lady's gold chain. He is also of the opion that a further search at the house will show other minor articles missing.

The alleged robbery was discovered by his eleven year-old son, Orrie, who preceded his mother and brother home from a shopping tour down town. The lad claims that he heard strange noises up stairs when he entered the house, and ran back to his mother to acquaint her with his suspicions.

When Mrs. Jenkins entered her home, she found everything in confusion inside. Several drawers were standing wide open and articles scattered about the rooms, indicating that the robbers had made a hurried search through the drawers for money and valuable jewelry.

She immediately notified the police, but according to her story, it was fully an hour before an officer arrived. Patrolman Harrison answered the call, and made an inspection of the premises, after which he left, saying that he would report the matter to headquarters. Another police investigation was made this morning, everything having been left in its disordered state so that the officers might be able to strike a clue that would lead to the apprehension of the guilty parties.

A window "limled" until the pane extended some distance from the sill showed how the burglars had gained an entrance to the house, while their tracks were plainly distinguishable in the snow.

Nothing was discovered missing last night except an old pocket-book which had been left in one of the dresser drawers. Nothing of value was contained therein except a few unimportant papers. This morning, however the articles of jewelry mentioned above were not to be found in their accustomed places, and are believed to have been stolen.

Robbery Was Planned.

According to Mrs. Jenkins, the robbery must have been committed by some one acquainted with the premises and with the habits of the family. Of late, she has been accustomed to going to her husband's place of business in the afternoon to assist him with the books, usually returning about six o'clock.

At police station this morning, it was stated that no clue to the robbery had been developed, and that it was as much of a mystery as when it was originally reported.

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PADDED CELL TO BE REPAIRED.

Mayor Shook Announced Today That Cell Will be Put Into Proper Condition at Once.

Preliminary steps will be taken this afternoon to make the necessary repairs to the padded cell, located on the second floor of the safety building on east High street. Mayor Shook, Safety Director Blank and Chief Earnst will discuss the proposition this afternoon, and arrive at some decision so that work can be started at once.

"If we are compelled to care for the unfortunates who lose their reason temporarily as a result of too much drink, then something should be done to provide suitable quarters for that purpose," said Mayor Shook this afternoon. "In its present condition, the cell is not fit for use, and should be repaired at once."

The mayor added that Health Officer Jones would be consulted, and the repairs to the cell made in accordance with his recommendations as far as possible. In a report recently submitted to the city council the city board of health, through its health officer, called the attention of the body to the condition of the padded cell and recommended that steps be taken at once to put it into condition for use.

OFFICER SNYDER IS BACK ON DUTY.

Reinstated by Civil Service Commission, He Was Assigned a Beat Last Evening.

Patrolman Ira Snyder, reinstated to his position in the police department by the civil service commission, reported for duty at police headquarters last evening after a lay-off of nine days, and was assigned to beat No. 4 by Chief Earnst.

The new patrolman, Frank Eberle, appointed yesterday by Safety Director Blank, also reported for duty for the first time last evening, and was assigned to patrol duty by the chief of police.

EFFICIENCY OF NEW CHEMICAL.

Amply Demonstrated By Chief Mack At South Side Fire Yesterday Afternoon.

The excellent quality of a chemical compound recently purchased for the use of the Lima fire department by Safety Director Blank was amply demonstrated yesterday afternoon, when Chief Mack prevented what might have been a serious fire at the home of C. P. Morgan, 402 east Kibby street, by the prompt use of the compound. It was the first practical use of the new chemical, and as a result the fire chief will recommend the further purchase of the article.

The south side department was called to the Morgan residence late yesterday afternoon, to put out a small fire caused by a defective pipe which ran through the ceiling of one room into the flue in the room above.

Members of the south side department used a can of chemicals which had been in the equipment of the department for some time, but little effect was noted, and they were preparing to lay a line of hose when Chief Mack arrived. He immediately ordered that no water be used and hastily grabbed one of the cans with which his buggy is now equipped. In a short time, the blaze had been totally extinguished, causing a property loss of about $20, fully covered by insurance.

Dr. Yakey will leave for Cleveland, Sunday to attend lectures at the Cleveland Homeopathic Medical College and attend hospital clinics. The doctor will be absent from the city about two weeks.

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REV. MR. GOODSON IS EVANGELIST

To Whom Lima May Listen This Coming Lord's Day.

Rev. Columbus P. Goodson, son-in-law of Rev. J. Wilbur Chapman, D.D., now famous as the world-wide evangelist, has been engaged to speak at Olivet Presbyterian church Sunday morning and evening. Lima is fortunate in having to speak from one of her pulpits the Rev. Goodson. He has had pulpits in St. Louis and Chicago.

When he was pursuing post-graduate studies in the Union Theological seminary and at Columbia University, New York, he was employed as assistant to Rev. Newell Dwight Hillis, in Plymouth church, Brooklyn. For five years afterward, he served in St. Louis, increasing a little chapel into a powerful church.

Then he traveled with Evangelist Chapman and has preached in large eastern cities under practically every circumstance. He conducted a tour of Canadian cities, where his sermons met with practically the same approbation.

His sermons are characterized as "New Preaching." One of the papers where he spoke said that Rev. Goodson "speaks with a new voice and seems to be filled with a new spirit."

Mrs. Goodson, who is the daughter of Rev. Chapman, has traveled with her father and sung the principal solos for him. She has been described as one of the most beautiful singers in the United States. It has been said of her that she preaches just as good sermons as does her father, only with her story in song.

It is quite likely that with such a man as Rev. Goodson in the city, Olivet church will be packed both Sunday morning and evening to hear the evangelist.

DEATH CLAIMS BABE OF TENDER YEARS.

Born Only The Latter Part Of January, It Was Removed To Bloom In Fairer Region.

Harold Kerr, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Kerr, of 769 west Wayne street, passed away last night. The little one had no more than opened its eyes to this wicked world than it was removed to a fairer clime. It came into the world January 29. Brief services were held this afternoon at four o'clock at the family residence, conducted by Rev. A. B. Houe of the Central Church of Christ. The little body was laid to rest at Woodlawn.

LIQUOR FIGHT IS ON IN CONGRESS.

Washington, Feb. 8.—Opposing forces in the house were arrayed today for the contest over the Webb bill to prohibit the dispensing of liquor in "dry" states. The rules committee had prepared a special rule for immediate consideration of the measure, with three hours general debate.

GAMBLER TELLS OF GRAFT MONEY.

New York, Feb. 8.—James Purcelle, for 17 years a gambler in New York, unfolded to the aldermanic committee investigating graft a tale of paying for police protection during all that time. Testifying under oath, he gave names, dates and places. He declared that he had paid the police many thousands of dollars.

Smooth shaven, nattily dressed in a suit of blue and wearing eyeglasses, Purcelle read from a pad of paper on which he had written the history of his dealings with the police.

"The first protection money I paid was in 1897," he said, "I paid a policeman named Jerry Murphy $10 not to disturb a racing game I was running. After that I began paying larger sums. The next was $60 every two weeks when I was running a gambling house, $50 for Police Captain Delaney and $10 for Dick Cahill, the policeman who collected it."

Purcelle declared he paid $100 a week to Sherriff Harvey of Queens county in 1909 for the privilege of running a pool room in Long Island City.

"I offered him $50 a week and he said he would have to take care of the district attorney too. 'Well,' I said 'we'll make it $100 a week.' We had been running three weeks then.

'How about the money for those three weeks' he asked. So the next night I brought him $400 and I paid him $100 a week there-after till we left, three months later.'

"Did you make any money there?"

"We made $4,000 on the crap game, $2,000 in stuss and lost $400 in the pool room. We made about $5,600 clear in the three months and three weeks."

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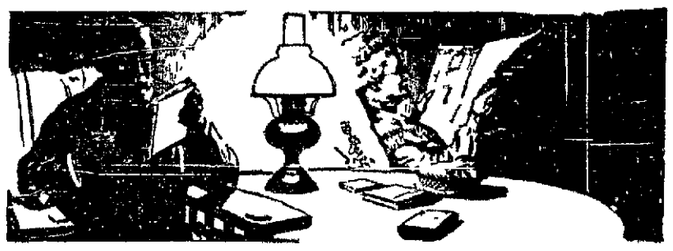

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End such misery now! Get the small bottle of "Ely's Cream Balm" at any drug store. This sweet, fragrant balm dissolves by the heat of the nostrils; penetrates and heals the inflamed, swollen membrane which lines the nose, head and throat; clears the air passages; stops nasty discharges and a feeling of cleansing, soothing relief comes immediately.

Don't lay awake tonight struggling for breath, with head stuffed; nostrils closed, hawking and blowing. Catarrh or a cold, with its running nose, foul mucous dropping into the throat, and raw dryness is distressing but truly needless.

Put your faith—just once—in "Ely's Cream Balm" and your cold or catarrh will surely disappear. H. F. Vortkamp

ANGEL HAS IDEAS ABOUT LIQUOR TAX.

Columbus, O., Feb. 8.—In a letter to Governor Cox today, H. P. Angel, a Cleveland insurance man, advocated the creation of a state liquor liability board of awards to provide for the dependents of persons imprisoned for crimes committed as the result of liquor.

Mr. Angel would have the new board place a heavy tax upon liquor traffickers, and would give the board the same powers enjoyed by the federal internal revenue collectors. "Liquor dealers should be made to share in the acts of lawlessness of men to whom they sell drinks," declared the Cleveland man in his letter. The plan also would provide the families of men killed by intoxicated men be paid premiums by the state.

PRISON SMALLPOX IN NEW YORK TOMBS.

New York, Feb. 8.—There was excitement among the 600 prisoners in the Tombs today when they learned, that one of their number, in the women's section, had been removed yesterday suffering from smallpox. The board of health promptly vaccinated seventy prisoners in the women's sections and close watch is being kept to ward off any general outbreak of the malady in the prison.

THE MARKETS.

New York, Feb. 8.—Trading was unusually light when the stock market opened today. The variations in prices from yesterday's close were small and irregular. American Car gained a point and Canadian Pacific ¾.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

Chicago, Feb. 8.—Cattle—Receipts 400; steady; beeves $6.50@8.90; Texas steers $4.90@5.75; stockers and feeders $4.75@7.50; cows and heifers $3.00@7.50; calves $6.50@10.00.

Hogs—Receipts 13,000; strong; light $7.85@8.15; mixed $7.75@8.15; heavy $7.65@8.07½; roughs $7.65@7.80; pigs $6.60@7.85; bulk of sales $7.85@8.10.

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AMUSEMENTS.

AT THE FAUROT.
Tonight—"Human Hearts."
Sunday Afternoon and Night—"Mona of the Modocs."
Monday Night—"The Little Millionaire."
Friday Night—Richard Carle and Hattie Williams in "The Girl From Mortmartre."

AT THE ORPHEUM.
All Week—Vaudeville.

AT THE LYRIC.
All Week—Barrett Players.

HIGH SCHOOL AUDITORIUM.
Thursday and Friday Nights—"Half-Back Sandy."

Two splendid attractions are booked at the Faurot opera house during the coming week both of which merit liberal patronage on the part of Lima play-goers. "The Little Millionaire," a characteristic Cohan show, with Charles King and Lila Rhodes in the leading roles, will be seen for the first time at the Faurot, Monday evening, while Richard Carle and Hattie Williams, assisted by a stellar array of principals, will bring their latest musical success, "The Girl From Montmartre" to the Faurot, Friday night.

In the company supporting Mr. Carle and Miss Williams is William Danforth, who is the recipient of lavish notices for his clever work in the one-act skit, "A Slice of Life," which is making a genuine hit. The show is staged under the direction of Charles Frohman, which is ample assurance that it will be of the highest standard.

"The Heart-Breakers," presented at the Faurot last Thursday evening, proved rather disappointing to the majority in the audience, and was far from being up to the standard of the other Singer attractions that have been sent to this city. George Damerel's fame will not be enhanced by his work in "The Heart-Breakers," although his failure to shine as resplendently as in "The Merry Widow" is probably due to the poor support given him by the majority of the principals in the cast, some of whom seemed out of place in their respective roles.

Only the clever rendition of two or three genuine song hits saved the piece from a worse fate than was accorded it by the audience that witnessed it at the Faurot, Thursday evening.

The success of "The Cat and the Fiddle," at the Orpheum this week will no doubt cause the management to make a decided effort to book other attractions of a similar nature during the remainder of the season. The little theatre was filled to capacity at almost every performance, and the best week's business of the season was recorded at the box office.

The piece remained at the Orpheum during the entire week, and judging from the size of the audience and the enthusiasm manifested, it pleased the clientele of that theatre immensely. The show at the Orpheum was a condensed version of the musical show that played the legitimate houses for several seasons with the best song numbers retained in the score.

The Barrett Players attempted an innovation during the first three days of the week by presenting a dramatic version of the musical comedy, "The Time, the Place and the Girl," and whatever might be said of their efforts in this particular instance, it must be said that their popularity with the Lyric patrons was not dimmed during the past week.

For the first three days of next week, the company will present one of Clyde Fitch's most notable successes, "The Woman in the Case," rehearsals for which are now in progress.

William Danforth, who is one of the leading funmakers with Richard Carle and Hattie Williams in "The Girl From Montmartre," was last seen here with Frank Daniels. For a long time Mr. Danforth was Mr. Daniels' chief aid in creating laughs. In J. M. Barrie's skit, "A Slice of Life," with Mr. Carle and Miss Williams, he has made a big hit.

While it is not yet definitely settled, the probabilities are that when the Aborn English Grand Opera Company returns to the Faurot theatre they will present "Madame Butterfly."

The repertoire of this famous organization includes old favorites as well as the modern compositions, but they have found during their tour that "Madame Butterfly" was a decided favorite among the operas termed, in operatic parlance, novelties. This beautiful composition of Puccini's, with its romantic and picturesque libretto, founded on the drama by David Belasco and John Luther Long, seems to have special attraction, not only for opera lovers, but also theatre-goers.

What would you do if you had only seven hours to spend in New York? Have a good time, wouldn't you? That was Merrill Lee's intention. And he had a good time all right. The next day—however—but that would be telling. "Seven Hours in New York" is the name of a comedy with music to be seen for the first time at the Faurot next Saturday afternoon and night.

The company is a very large one, including a chorus of pretty girls and handsome young men, all of whom can sing and dance. The performance has met with great favor elsewhere, judging from reports that reached here.

Hattie Williams, who comes to the Faurot next Friday night with Richard Carle in "The Girl From Montmartre" has a unique claim to fame. Miss Williams has never been married nor divorced and yet she is a star.

Miss Williams is a Boston girl. Having an ambition to achieve a name for herself she chose the stage for her metier. But, making a choice for the realization of her ambition she soon found was the easiest part of becoming a stage celebrity, for the only person who was willing to give her an opportunity was May Irwin—and the position was in the chorus of "The Widow Jones" for its Broadway run. Yet this lowly position led to her being engaged as leading woman with the Rogers Brothers, and then Charles Frohman took her under his managerial wing where she has been ever since.

"I haven't any fads," Miss Williams told a recent interviewer, "except, maybe, my liking for the stage is a fad. I thoroughly enjoy my work on the stage—I love it. Maybe that's why I have never been married—I don't know."

Otis Harlan, who is soon to be seen at the Faurot in his delineation of the detective in Henry W. Savage's "Little Boy Blue," is one of the richest actors in the profession. Harlan's money has been gained almost entirely in the show business not so much from being an actor, although he has always drawn a good-sized salary, but from the fact that he has dabbled in the managerial end.

Harlan begun his professional career with the late Charles H. Hoyt at a ridiculously low salary. When the money commenced to come in, however, he started to invest it in theatrical ventures. He first became interested in a stock company at Richmond, Virginia, with Jake Wells, the southern theatrical magnate, and later became interested in several theatres in the south, eventually forming a large circuit. He has also been interested in many traveling companies, among them being "Babes in Toyland," "Nancy Brown," "Wonderland," and several others of lesser importance.

Marie Louise Biggers, contralto with the Aborn English Grand Opera Company, is a protege of Mme. Schumann-Heink, who urged Miss Biggers to study for the grand opera stage. Miss Bigger's full deep rich lower register which has made her one of the best known American singers in grand opera, shows the famous diva was right in her prediction that Miss Biggers would one day be recognized as a great singer.

Local theatre-goers were greatly interested in a recent announcement from Baltimore that Michael J. Byrne, former actor, one of the Byrne brothers of "Eight Bells" fame will be ordained a Catholic priest at the St. Frances Academy, Lorette, Pa., in June. Byrne has often appeared in Lima, and is well remembered among the older theatre-goers. He is 54 years old, and decided to become a priest shortly after the death of his wife, five years ago.

"The Little Millionaire," which comes to the Faurot, Monday evening, enjoyed a great week's business at the Cleveland opera house last week, where it pleased mightily.

Arrangements have been made for Lillian Russell's lecture tour. During the spring she will appear in the principal cities of the east, lecturing on health and hygiene. Kinemacolor pictures will be used to illustrate her remarks. The subject of her lecture is, "How to Live 100 Years."

Julia Sanderson, late of "The Siren," graduated to sterdom last Monday evening in "The Sunshine Girl" at the Knickerbocker theatre, New York. In her support are Joe Cawthorn, Eva Davenport, Tom Lewis, Flossie Hope and others.

Small cities will have no opportunity to see Elsie Janis for several months. She and Montgomery and Stone will continue to the end of the season in New York in "The Lady of the Slipper," and next year will play only Boston and Chicago.

Sophie Tucker, seen here earlier in the season in "Louisiana Lou," returned to vaudeville at Chicago last Monday evening.

Otis Harlan and his company in "Little Boy Blue," which comes to the Faurot soon, opened an engagement at the Chicago opera house, last week.

A short poem by Donald Macdonald, of this city, one of the stars in "The Red Petticoat," appeared in the current issue of the Theatre magazine. The title of the poem was "The Yellow Jacket," inspired by the play of the name.

The performance of "Half-Back Sandy," which is to be given by the high school students at the high school auditorium next Thursday and Friday evenings is being awaited with such keen interest by friends of the high school students, under whose auspices the play is to be given. The high school orchestra will assist the young Thespians in making the occasion one of the most enjoyable ever given by the high school.

"Half-Back Sandy" is a capital play, full of the American college atmosphere, and the spirit of the great game of football. It abounds in humorous lines and situations, and will locally prove one of the most delightful plays ever given by the high school students. It is confidently expected by the members of the faculty who are interesting themselves in the production that this play will eclipse all previous efforts of the students in the acting line.

There is a good demand for tickets, and the indications are that the performance will be witnessed by a large crowd both evenings that it is presented.

Prof. A. K. Hall of the faculty is general manager of the production and has charge of the high school orchestra, while he is being assisted by Misses Beattie and Retelstorf of the faculty, who have charge of the rehearsals.

The cast for the play is as follows:

"Sandy" Smith—Clayton Pfeiffer.
Josiah Krop—Virgil Sheets.
Philip Krop—Lester Bartlett.
Bill Short—Russell Ferrall.
Kenneth Summer—Fred Thorp.
Percy Gordon—Elliott Miller.
Dick Hart—Harry Fetter.
"Babe" Van Twiller—Neal Lora.
Joe Fleetwood—Frank Mackin, Everett Rogers.
J. Booth MacReady — Russell Bressler.
Mabel Sumner—Roy Moore.
"Sou"—Ralph Tarbutton.
"Prof." Dryden—Herman Chapman.

LYRIC THEATRE.

Last performance tonight by the Barrett Players of the very interesting and enjoyable performance of "Dina's Atonement," a play that will appeal to all. If you have not seen this clever play attend the Lyric tonight. Plenty of fun and plenty of heart interest, a play that will appeal to all. The Barrett Players will present for the first three days of next week, Clyde Fitch's greatest play, "The Woman in the Case."

What will no doubt prove the most interesting and entertaining play presented by the Barrett Players during their long stay at the Lyric theatre will be offered the first three days of the coming week, starting with a performance Monday night, February 10, when they will present for positively the first time in Lima at popular prices, Clyde Fitch's greatest play, "The Woman in the Case." This great play was secured by the Barrett Players only by paying an immense royalty for the privilege of playing it, but notwithstanding this fact there will be no advanec in prices. Every reader and theatre-goer has seen or read some of Clyde Fitch's great plays, including "The Climbers," "Girls," and many others, while many saw Blanche Walsh play "The Woman in the Case" at the Faurot. This play had a phenomenal run in New York, playing at the Herald Square theatre, New York, for six months, and also a long run at McVicker's in Chicago. The scenes in the play are said to be more intense than in "The Third Degree" and "The Lion and the Mouse," two plays that appealed particularly to the amusement-going public. Miss Lossie will have the role made popular by Blanche Walsh, while Mr. LaRenz, Mr. Barrett, Miss May and the other members of this popular company will all have roles in which to shine to advantage. The story of "The Woman in the Case" is not over drawn, but is true to life, depicting a story that is seen in every-day life, and is said to be so interesting that the spectator feels as though he or she was actually living through the action of the play instead of seeing it acted. The Lyric will no doubt be packed at every performance of this high class play, so it would be well to order seats early. The Lyric box office will be open all day after 9 a. m., every day. "The Woman in the Case," Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday nights, with a special 10-cent matinee Tuesday, February 11, at 2:30.

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AMUSEMENTS

"HUMAN HEARTS."

There are a few old plays which apparently defy the changes that take place in the form of dramatic attractions. They are presented year after year and are always welcomed by theatregoers. A notable example of such a play is "Human Hearts," which opened at the Faurot this afternoon and will be given again tonight.

The story of the drama is familiar. The injustice suffered by Tom Logan and his final vindication furnishes the theme, the serious interest being relieved by the humorous characters of Jem Mason, the tramp, Limp, the newsboy, and Mose the old colored servant. An excellent company and a complete scenic equipment make the return of this favorite play very enjoyable. Popular prices.

"MONA OF THE MODOCS."

The big feature of Sunday's motion picture program at the Faurot will be another of the famous "101 Bison" films, "Mona of the Modocs" in two reels. The Bison people have outstripped all other manufacturers in realistic reproduction of pioneer life in the west and each film released by them for exhibition seems to be the last thing in that line. "Bison" pictures may only be seen at the Faurot.

"THE LITTLE MILLIONAIRE."

"The Little Millionaire," Geo. M. Cohan's musical farce, which comes to the Faurot next Monday night, is said to be another of those enjoyable entertainments that the author has a happy faculty of turning out, seemingly at will. Accustomed as Broadway theatregoers are to typical Cohan shows, the production of "The Little Millionaire" early last season was a distinct surprise, with its cyclonic action, its wealth of fascinating melodies, its highly amusing lines and its general air of mirth and gaiety. The scenes of the play are laid at the Beaux Arts, Huntington, Long Island; the Spooner home on upper Fifth Avenue and the Hotel Astor Roof Garden. Charles King, late of Ziegfeld's "A Winsome Widow" company, and formerly of Brice & King, has the title role. The story of the play tells of Robert Spooner, son of a wealthy father, who, after tiring of a useless, idle life, determines to marry and settle down. The difficulties encountered and overcome before this worthy object is attained form the nucleus of a well defined plot. "The Little Millionaire" is very generally considered the best product of Mr. Cohan's prolific pen. The piece ran all last season at the Cohan Theatre, New York, and has recently closed an extended engagement at the Cohan's Grand Opera House, Chicago. It will be presented here by a company and chorus of unusual merit. Some of the most prominent roles are in the hands of William Keough, Edgar Halstead, Purnell B. Pratt, Henry Santrey, Donald C. Crisp, Danny Day, James Cody, Jack Goodall, Lila Rhodes, Julia Ralph, Lillian Tucker, Dickie Delaro, Florence Dunlap and Josephine Rhodes. Among the sixteen musical numbers some of the most tuneful are: "Any Place the Old Flag Flies," "The Little Millionaire," "We Do the Dirty Work," "New Yorkers," "The Musical Moon," "Oh, You Wonderful Girl," "P. T. Barnum Had The Right Idea" "The Drill of the Seventh" and "The Dancing Wedding."

Seats are now selling.

RICHARD CARLE AND HATTIE WILLIAMS.

Richard Carle and Hattie Williams, who come to the Faurot next Friday night, are both local favorites and theatregoers will doubtless appreciate the novelty of seeing two such entertainers together. Their medium is "The Girl From Montmartre," a lively farce with catchy music, whose story has to to do with the adventures of a celebrated Paris doctor. The doctor, while his wife is away, takes a night off and visits Montmartre, the greaat white way of the French metropolis. Here he meets a pretty girl, and then the trouble for the doctor and the fun for the audience commences. Eventually the doctor's uncle, from whom he has expectations, appears, and, mistaking the girl from Montmartre for his nephew's wife, he invites her to attend his niece's betrothal festivities at his chateau in Touraine. The fact that the man the niece is to wed is the girl from Montmartre's own sweetheart add to the complications. Then the doctor's real wife arrives at the chateau and the rest can be imagined. Incidentally there are many songs and dances by the various artists of the large cast.

Mr. Carle as the doctor is more whimsical and entertaining than ever. Miss Williams as the girl from Montmartre has a role that calls for just such a vivacious personality as is hers. Her song hits are "Don't Turn My Picture to the Wall," "Hoopla, Father Doesn't Care," and "Ooo-Ooo-Lena."

The feature of the entertainment is the interpolation in the second act of J. M. Barrie's skit, "A Slice of Life," a delicious bit of satire on the modern drama.

Other novelties of the production, which is made by Charles Frohman, are the original dances by Joe Smith —"The Sandwich Drag" and the "Tango-Can-Can"—and the use of motion pictures to tell part of the story of the play.

The large supporting company includes Albert Hart, Will Danforth, George Lydecker, Edwin Nicander, Donald Macmillan, Percy Leach, Ralph Nairn, Anita Rothe, Moya Mannering, Mercedes Esmonde, Veola Harty, Clara McFarlane, Alice Carrington and a beauty chorus of young girls who can and do sing and dance. Seats for this engagement will be on sale Thursday.

ORPHEUM THEATRE.

The show opening Monday matinee at the Orpheum is headed by one of the best girl acts in vaudeville, "The Buster Brown Misses." Eight charming little girls who have made a reputation in the east playing the larger houses. Art Adair's Hank Spon's Orchestra is a novelty musical act with special scenery and effects. Cain and Odam, the song sailors; Field and Occa, hand balancing, and Sweatros, a Japanese magician, makes up a great bill. The regular Sunday concert will be given with three acts of vaudeville and four reels of first run pictures. Come early and secure the best seats.

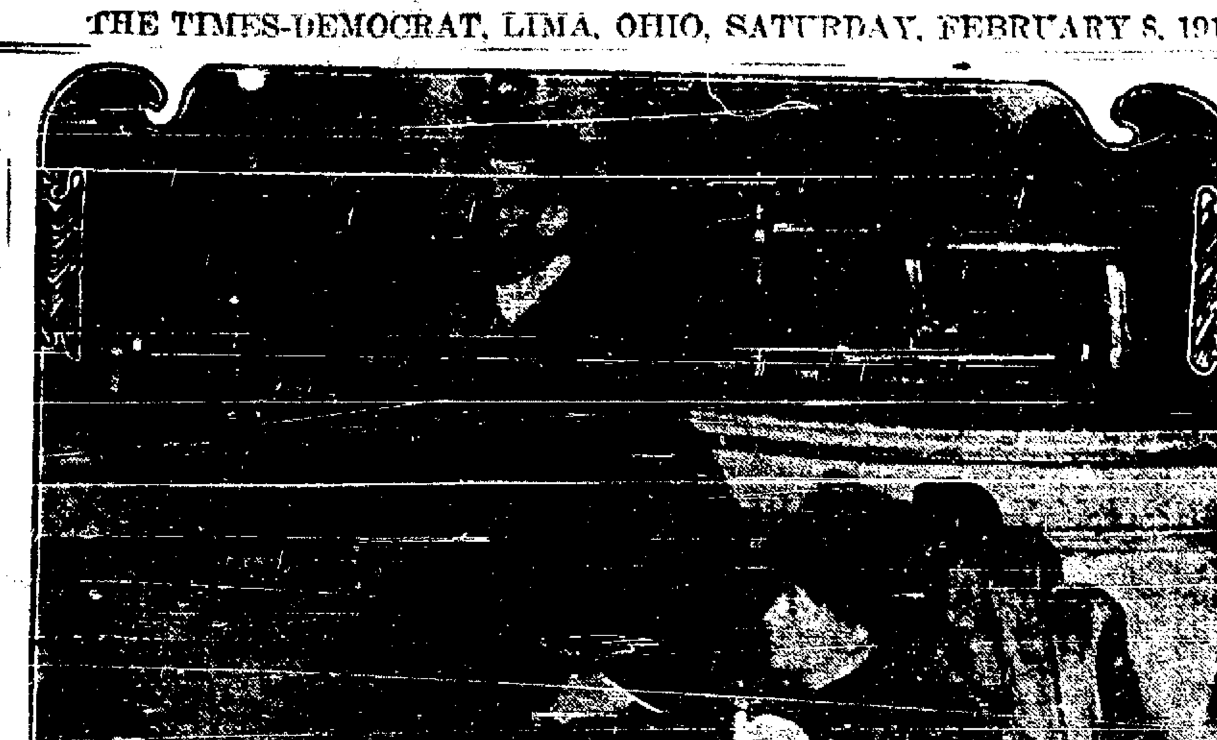
THE REAL AUTHOR OF "PETER-PAN."

That brilliant and dainty effort of the comic imagination, the play called "Peter Pan," is again being acted throughout the country by Miss Maude Adams and although the present is the ninth year in the history of the play, people ar crowding to see it almost as eagerly as ever, grown-up playgoers receiving it with peals of laughter, and children hugging it with fascinated credulity. Of late, however, a startling suspicion as arisen in ...

One hears it on all sides. At Eton, at Oxford, at Cambridge, in the Navy- in the Army, and pretty generally among unprejudiced people everywhere, one hears the question, "Who really wrote it" The name of one J. M. Barrie is on the programme, but who is J. M. Barrie? He is said to have written a number of other plays which have been hailed with enthusiasm on the first nights; but has he ever been seen to appear before the curtain? Do the generality of those who discuss him ever pretend to do so from their own authority? Has any one ever seen anything written by his pen, or, if so, has been able to decipher it? In short, is it demonstrable that any such dramatist as J. M. Barrie really existed?

Manifestly, then, the real author of "Peter Pan," who, for reasons of his own, desires to conceal his proper identity under an assumed name, has left us this numerical and cryptogrammatic indication of the truth. He has done more, for he has also indicated the precise date on which the public revelation of it is to be made. This is the sixth day of the month in the year of one thousand nine hundred and thirteen; add the 6, 1, 9, 1, and 3 together and you get twenty. The moment has therefore now arrived for drawing aside the curtain from the greatest literary mystery of the Twentieth Century. Is there, we ask, a living writer whose work shows precisely those qualities of irresistible drollery, courageous imagination, and vast popularity which we find in "Peter Pan," and whose name, at the same time, embodies for us in some unmistakable way this mysterious number—Twenty? There is Let all hats be removed and all heads be bowed, as we point with a modestly triumphant finger to the most amusing, daring, and popular pamphlet of our time, called "The Shakespeare Myth," now in its five hundred thousand, and written by a gentleman whose name, printed in all its significant and revealing length on the title page contains neither more nor less than exactly twenty letters—the name of Sir Edwin Durning-Lawrence.

Happily, the explanation of the illustrious unknown's secrecy in this matter is as simple and diverting as that which he has himself discovered for Bacon's concealment of his authorship of "Hamlet" and the other plays which the world persists in calling Shakespeare's. It will be remembered that he attributes that stupendous and unparalleled act of abnegation to the fact that "Queen Elizabeth was determined to punish the author of 'Richard II,' a play which greatly incensed her," and cincerning which "she is reported to have said, 'Seest thou not that I am Richard the Second?'" Now, Sir Edwin is, of course, the actual author, not merely of "Peter Pan," but also of all the other works attributed to the mythical Barrie, including the three-act comedy called "Little Mary." He also happens to be the son of the late High Sheriff of the City of London, and will therefore be seen to have special ties with the Corporation. But "Little Mary" was a poke at the expense of persons who think more of their stomachs than of their souls; and it will easily be realized that on the Corporation of the City of London there are persons who have occasionally heard, and strongly resent, a jocular and quite unfounded allegation to the effect that the sumptuous banquets in Guildhall play too large a part in its public proceedings. Obviously, then, these worthy, if somewhat humor-lacking gentlemen would have been "greatly incensed" had they known that one of their own household, as it were, was the author of 'Little Mary." Hence the adoption of the Barrie nom-de-plume, with the inevitable sequel of its perpetuation on the programme of "Peter Pan."



A RARE SIGHT

Maude Adams always watches the development of her plays in rehearsal from a seat in the fifth row of an otherwise empty theater orchestra. Here she is seated before the recently completed new production of "Peter Pan." Beside her is John Alexander, president of the American Academy of Design. They are looking at the stage as they would at a colossal canvas upon which great pictures can be painted. Thus Miss Adams sees herself as others see her; for on the stage at such times is an actress exactly "made up" in costume and even ... resemblance, to duplicate in the rehearsal the positions Miss Adams would take on the stage.

A SEERPENT OF THE NILE.

The snake women of literature, and even of history, are many. But, until Madame Nazimova's "Belle Donna" the serpent was hidden. It was considered sufficient to indicate its inner existence by outer deed. Nazimova has gone a step farther. She has created a character which, inside and outside, is more snake than woman. The realization that she is a snake—a snake of rippling, miraculous beauty—comes with her entrance. She does not walk, she glides—her head held perfectly still, her eyes cold and fixed, her gown trembling with every movement of the lithe body beneath. Her cheeks are livid, her lips scarlet, her gown purple. In repose she is like a bright shadow of death. When she smiles the effect is that of a resurrection. She does not sit down. She coils. Her body sinks slowly at the knees, slopes backward, sways slightly to one side and, with a faint quiver of the shoulders, settles. When she arises it is simply an unwinding of the coils. There is no perceptible movement of limbs—nothing except the quiet shifting of muscles and the vague, shadowy ripple of hidden flesh. Until the second act, when Armine leaves her alone for a moment with Baroudi, she hardly seems alive. Then the death veil vanishes. The snake becomes a tiger as the door closes on her husband's back a single passionate movement takes her into Baroudi's arms. She lies there trembling. Her fingers run fiercely over his face and hair. Her body curved like a bow, presses against his. The snake is vibrant with love. She vibrates from head to foot. The door opens, Armine re-enters and the fire dies. Nazimova is again the cold, dull-eyed cobra, silent and passionless. The character of Bella Donna, of course, was never intended to be especially attractive. She does her best to poison Armine, her husband, and, failing, finds compensation in telling him of the attempt. Armine is good. He loves her. He thinks her good. In the face of positive proof he has refused to consider the possibility of her guilt. This enough for the snake—that she should be gorged with supressed venom and still be considered harmless, that she should writhe in a passion of murder and still be loved and trusted by the object of her hatred! She has struck at Armine's life and failed; this time she strikes at his illusion.

A SOLDIER'S SPEECH.

The most effective speech, the most tense situation in "The Spy" is when Colonel Felt, the only soldier in a large, well individualized group of characters, conferaes that he has killed one of the guests at the country house where Felt, too, is only a visitor. Between Colonel Felt and Glogau there had been a conflict of interests the night before. Glogau had forced Felt into a corner, compelled Felt to choose between yielding the plans of a nearby fort and bankruptcy—Glogau having gathered in all of Colonel Felt's notes on demand. Before Colonel Felt, brave, ambitious soldier, stood Glogau, a spy. But before the scheme to betray the country was fully spoken, Felt took Glogau by the throat and strangled him. The murder happened in the dead of night. "When morning came," says Felt in a speech of fine nobility, "I put on my uniform as usual; it gave me a sense of comfort and protection, it seemed to speak to me, I breathed freely once more and suddenly everything became clear to me. I am on duty here in my capacity as a soldier, I am not a murderer; I represent the army, and it was the army that struck the blow, unhesitatingly in a fair fight, to vindicate its honor. I am ruined, done for, but one man doesn't count and I was merely obeying a command; so my conscience is at peace. I hardly thought of myself or the consequences of my act. For years I have been abseesed with a great idea, a dream that I wanted to turn into a reality. It is the only excuse for the existence of such a man as I am. I wish I could express just what I feel in quite simple commonplace language. But How can I? The words 'my country' are always near a soldier's lips, they seem part of his equipment. Well, I wanted my country to be powerful, immune from the danger of attack, invulnerable. To achieve that I had conceived projects, immense, intricate projects for reorganization. Ah! It would have been a splendid thing to have accomplished. For twenty years I have worked at it far into the nights, slaved at it in every spare moment, and it was nearing completion—at last the end was in sight. And now—I am faced with this awful catastrophe! Because of the extermination of one blackguard the extermination of one blackguard At first I could not accept my fate, the fate of all my cherished hopes and plans; I rebelled against it—the shock was too great. But by degrees I grew calmer. I realized my limitations, that I must call Halt! and submit. I realized that to pretend to lie, to play the hypocrite, was utterly impossible to me. I couldn't go through with it. I couldn't do it. In spite of everything, I couldn't do it! More's the pity!"

HATTIE WILLIAMS,
Co-Star with Richard Carle in "The Girl From Montmartyre," at the Faurot Friday night.

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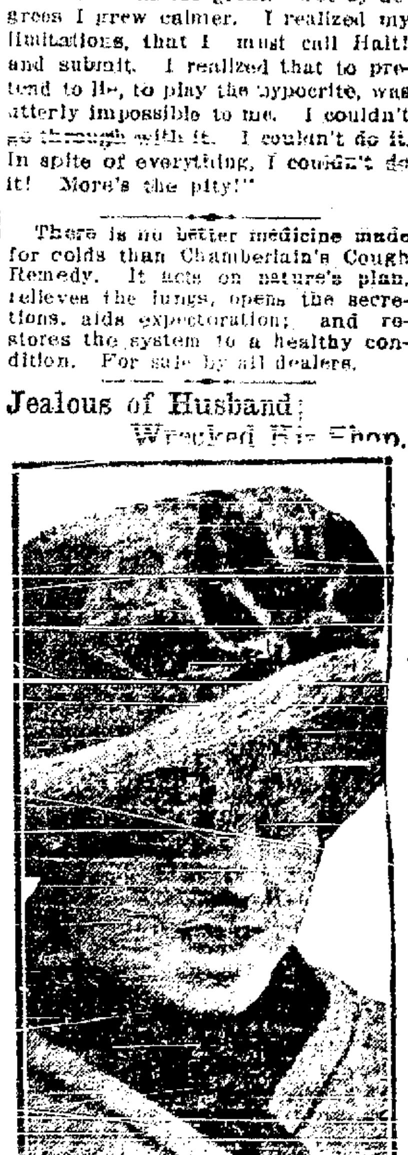

Mrs. Genevieve Vawter, the beautiful wife of a prominent automobile man of Chicago, visited her husband's office recently. She knocked down the glass partitions, scarped all the pictures from the walls, overturned the furniture that wasn't too hefty to handle, pulled the telephone out by the roots, and otherwise disarranged things. The police were summoned, and when the patrol wagon pulled up outside the shop Mrs. Vawter locked herself into a closet,

INTERESTING CELEBRATION

Anniversary of the Creation of Diocese in New World.

PORTO RICO DIOCESE ERECTED IN YEAR 1511

First Bishop Reached the Diocese Two Years Later.

San Juan, Porto, Rico, Feb. 8.—In order to participate in the 400th anniversary of the creation of the first Catholic Diocese in the New World and the same anniversary of the arrival of the first Catholic Bishop in the Americas, Cardinal Farley, of New York and Archbishop Blenk, of New Orleans, who was frrmerly Bishop of Porto Rico, are among the prelates from the United States who will come to Porto Rico for the church celebration which will be from February 23 to 27.

Together with Bishop Norris, of Little Rock, Ark., and Bishop Gunn, of Natchez, Miss., Cardinal Farley and Archbishop Blenk will sail from New York Saturday, February 15. An invitation has been extended to all Catholic Bishops in the United States to attend the anniversary ceremonies. The last day of the anniversary there will be a public demonstration in connection with the Third Insular Fair.

The Diocese of Porto Rico is the and was erected by Pope Julius II. in oldest Catholic Diocese in America was erected by Pope Julius II. in 1511. Bishop Alonso Manso, the first bishop to reach the New World discovered by Columbus, reached Porto Rico in 1513. He died in 1539 and his body was buried in the cathedral in San Juan, where the remains of many of the fifty bishops of the diocese have been deposited. This cathedral marks the site of the mother church in the Americas, and while much of the present building is modern, parts of it date back to early in 1600.

Cadinal Farley will officiate at the first of the anniversary services, a solemn high mass to be celebrated Sunday morning, February 23. The following day, Monday, Archbishop Blenk will officiate at a special service, when the remains of Ponce de ...n, the first governor of Porto Rico, who died in his quest for the fountain of youth, will be placed in a crypt in an elaborate monument erected in the cathedral.

Many churchmen from other countries are to participate in the anniversary ceremonies, including Cardinal Almerez, of Seville, Spain, who was elevated to the Cardinalate with Cardinal Farley a little more than a year ago; Bishop Estrada, of Havana, Cuba; Archbishop Bernada, of Santiago, Cuba; Bishop Ruiz, of Pinar del Rio, and Bishop Aurelio, of Cienfuegos, Cuba.

Archbishop Adolfo Nousel, Santo Domingo, who recently was chosen president of that country, has sent word to Bishop Jones, of Porto Rico, that his duties as president will prevent him from coming to San Juan. Through one of his priests President Nouel, who still remains head of the church in Santo Domingo, he has advised Bishop Jones that if he left Dominican soil for eight days there would be another revolutionary outbreak.

None of the diocese in the United States can compare in age with the Diocese of Porto Rico. While St. Augustine, Fla., was an established community and had a church in 1565, yet it did not become a diocese until 1870. The first diocese in the United States was that of Baltimore, which was created in 1789. New Orleans became the next diocese in 1793, while New York, Boston and Philadelphia were created as sees in 1808, and are the next oldest.

With the coming of this anniversary celebration many interesting bits of church history have been dug up from the old records.

As far back as 1533 the high cost of living seems to have been a problem that the first bishop in the Americas reckoned with, for old records show that he ordered prepared a report "on the sin of usury and of buying and selling at inordinate prices." At the same time, records show that "Bishop Manso commanded that a decree be read in the cathedral in San Juan exhorting usurers to go to confession within a certain period of time, that they might receive from the Bishop or his Vicar-Provisor salutary medicine for their spiritual malady. Should any be rebellious, he must be reported."

And only a little later the church records show that there was a sugar tariff that Bishop Rodrigo Bastidas, who succeeded Bishop Manso, thought needed revising so badly that he wrote to the Spanish Crown, saying:

"The new impost upon sugar will cause depression in business, which is already suffering. Let the impost be suppressed." This was in 1544.

In the same letter to the Spanish sovereign Bishop Bastidas wrote:

"It would be convenient to establish in this bishopric a school of grammar."

He reported other affairs in Porto Rico to the Crown indicating a financial depression about that period. He wrote:

"Work on the cathedral has been suspended owing to the scarcity of funds and we beg you to give an alms.

"The employees of the Treasury attended, I believe, to their work well, but there is so little to do that four are too many and two would suffice, viz.: The treasurer and the auditor.

"I have inspected the Fortaleza and Morrow Castle. They are good forts, but there is need of some artillery."

The Fortaleza is the present residence of the governor of Porto Rico, while Morro Castle was one of the fortifications fired on by Admiral Sampson in 1898. It still stands in an excellent state of preservation.

Records recently found give the location of many old crypts under the cathedral in San Juan. One of these proved to be the burial place of Bishop de Solis, who died in 1641. Of this bishop the records say that he entered the priesthood after the death of his wife and that he had "both performed and received all the sacraments of the church." His death followed a pilgrimage through the diocese during which is recorded he baptized 10,000 Indians.

Old church documents show that the present Bishop's Palace was purchased in 1738 by Bishop Sebastian Lorenzo Pizarro, who "spent 4,000 pesos in repairs."

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INAUGURATION TO GIVE THIS MAN A HAIR CUT.

Kansan Swore Off In 1896 Till Next Democratic Victory.

A great task awaits some Washington barber on Mr. Wilson's inauguration day. E. F. Boxwell, known in Hoisington, Kan., as "Buddy" Boxwell, is going there on that day to have his hair cut and his whiskers trimmed.

Washington's barbers are naturally excited because no scissors have touched Mr. Boxwell's head since 1896, when William J. Bryan first ran for president. Mr. Boxwell was an enthusiastic admirer of Mr. Bryan. He swore that he would allow his hair to grow until a Democrat was president of the United States, and thus far he has kept his vow.

When Mr. Wilson takes the oath of office at noon on March 4 Mr. Boxwell will be absolved. He will dash to the nearest shop and invite the swiftest barber in the place to get to work at once.

The women of Hoisington are said to be jealous of the silken locks of Mr. Boxwell. They are forty-four inches long. His beard and mustaches are also long and very bushy. Including his hair, Mr. Boxwell weighs 300 pounds. He is regarded as one of the handsomest men in Kansas. He comes of German parentage and is wealthy.

Representative George A. Neely of Kansas, from the district in which Mr. Boxwell lives, is going to make advance arrangements for the hair cutting. He is already besieged by barbers who want to do the work free for the advertisement.

ASKS $150,000 FOR HANDS.

Young Woman Lost Them In Strange Electric Shock.

"Please wipe the tears from my eyes, nurse. I don't want to appear discouraged."

So whispered Gertrude M. Garity, smiling through glistening eyelids as she received some of her friends recently in a Springfield (Mass.) hospital. She was so terribly burned by electricity in her home in Suffield, Conn., a few weeks ago that both hands had to be amputated.

The awful accident which deprived her of her hands is unprecedented in its causes and circumstances, and the suit for $150,000 which State Attorney Hugh M. Alcorn, her counsel, has instituted is the largest of its kind ever filed in that state.

At the instant she was about to light an electric light in her parents' home she placed her left hand on a heater pipe, which completed a ground circuit, and thousands of volts of electricity, which leaked into the lighting wires from the trolley wires, poured through her body from hand to hand.

SINGING MICE ARE FOUND.

Five Rodents at Harvard Trill in Grand Opera Tones.

Ragtime and grand opera by mice soloists and choristers is the last word in Harvard's world of psychology.

The songsters are in the care of Charles Coburn, Harvard's psychological expert. There are five of these gifted mice. They are females, and they come from New York. Whether they are the prima donna type or whether they are merely of the Broadway chorus girl type remains to be seen.

A New Yorker found these mice, so it is said, in his tool chest. He was guided thence by the sound of their piping. The canary-like tone of their voices prompted him to notify the Harvard psychological department, which referred the matter to Mr. Coburn. The latter made a trip to New York and got the mice. Mr. Coburn will try to breed more singing mice by these first ones.

MOURNERS GREET LIVE MAN.

Police Official, Victim of Hoax, Arrives Safely In Liverpool.

Inspector Hunter of the Liverpool police was the most surprised man in the world when, arriving in Liverpool recently from Canada, he found assembled his friends and relatives all dressed in deep mourning.

They believed he had been killed during the voyage by a fall down the companionway. The report was based on a cable received from the liner announcing the fatality, the origin of which is a mystery.

The inspector's wife and family were overjoyed.

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THE SUNDAY PROGRAM

And Announcements For Other Events Scheduled For Coming Week.

Market Street Presbyterian.

Market and West streets. Thomas Knox, minister. Morning service, 10:45, "The Christian Doctrine of Man." Evening service, 7:00, "Pleasing God." Y. P. S. C. E. 6.00. Sunday school, 9 15.

First United Brethren.

Corner Spring and Union streets. Rev. J. B. Bovey, pastor; residence, 614 east Market street. We invite you to attend the following services at our church. Sunday school at the usual hour, 9:00. Orchestra will join in the opening song service. Morning service begins promptly at 10:15 and the pastor will use the theme, "The Worth of a Child." There will be an opportunity given at this service to unite with the church. The evening service will begin at 7:00, the pastor using the theme, "An Infallible Cure for Backsliding." The revival is still in progress and everyone of the members of the church is expected to be present at each service, and strangers are welcome. The C. E. meeting at 6:00 will be led by Mr. O. R. Roberts, the topic being "The Ideal Christian." Junior C. E. at 2:30.

South Lima Baptist.

Members and congregation will take notice that from now on there will be regular services each Sunday. On February 8th Rev. John E. Arblaster, of Granville, O., will preach, morning and evening. On February 16th Rev V. D. Willard, of Millerstown, Ohio, will be with us. Other arrangements are being made that will be announced later. Everyone should reciprocate and co-operate by attending these services. Bible school assembles promptly at 9:30 a. m.

Olivet Presbyterian.

Preaching both morning and evening 10:30 and 7 p. m. by the Evangelist Rev C. P. Goodson, of Springfield, Ill All persons interested in the welfare of the church should be out to hear him. Sunday school at 9:15; officers and teachers urged to be present on time. Christian Endeavor at 6 p. m. Thursday evening prayer meeting at 7:30. Public welcome to any or all services.

Spring Street Lutheran.

Cor. Spring and Pierce streets. C. C. Schaub, pastor. Sunday school at 9:15; H. A. Slonecker, superintendent. If you are not enrolled in Sunday school, start Sunday. This school bids you a hearty welcome. Hour of morning service, 10:30. Morning theme: "Entering Lent." Evening service at 7 00 Evening theme: "God's Rainbow." You are welcome Luther and Junior league at 6 00. W H. and F. M. society, Monday afternoon. Prayer meeting, Thursday.

First Christian.

Evangelistic services are now in progress. Decision day to be observed February 9. The regular Bible school and preaching services beginning at 9.15. Junior Endeavor at 2.00 p. m. and Senior and Intermediate Endeavor at 6 p. m., followed by preaching services by the pastor, Rev. E. D. Gilbert.

St. Paul's Evangelical Lutheran.

North and Elizabeth streets, John W. Richards, pastor Parsonage 691 north Jameson avenue; new phone First Sunday in Lent, weekly Bible reading, John, chapters 11 to 21 Bible school, 9 a. m, in charge of Supt. Chas F Sprague. Special preparatory service, 10 a m. Chief service, 10 30 a m.; theme, "The Holy War," closing with the communion. Vespers, 7 p. m, with sermon on "The Scarlet Thread," closing with the Lord's Supper Wednesday, an all-day sewing by the Helpers, at 351 east High street, with Mrs. H. F. Reel. Wednesday, 7:30 p m., the Lenten mid-week service Thursday, 7:30 p m, the League's Valentine social, at 915 west North street, with Miss Dalzell. Friday, 6 p. m, the Boys' League, entertained by Mrs. C. F. Stolzenbach. Saturday, 2 p m., the Junior class in the catechism.

Christian Science.

Second Church of Christ, Scientist, second floor, News building, east High street. Sunday service, 10 30. Subject, "Spirit" Sunday school 11:40. Testimonial meeting every Wednesday evening, 7 45. Reading room, same address. Open daily, except Sundays, from 2 to 5 p. m. A welcome is extended to the public to attend the services and to visit the reading room.

Calvary Reformed.

West Wayne street, near Main. Dr. J. H. Christman, president of Central Seminary, Dayton, Ohio, will preach. Services at 10.30 a m. and 7 p. m Sunday school at 9 15 a. m. The Ladies' Missionary society meets on Wednesday with Mrs. Bacome, 861 west Elm street.

Christ (Episcopal) Church.

Corner West and North streets. Arthur M. Griffin, rector

Services for the First Sunday in Lent:

7:30 a. m., Holy communion.

9:30 a m., Bible study and catechising of the Sunday school.

10.30 a. m, Morning prayer and sermon.

4.00 p. m., Choral vesper service.

A large choir under the leadership of Mr. Baird, at both these services. Seats are free, strangers welcomed. Mrs. Robinson will sing the solo at the vesper service. Services in Christ church every day this week, Monday, Tuesday and Thursday at 4 o'clock, and on Wednesday and Friday at 7:30 p. m. Saturday at 4 o'clock, special for young people preparing for confirmation.

German Evangelical Reformed.

Wayne and West streets; Rev. H. C. Schlueter, D. D., pastor.

Divine worship and preaching services at 10:15 a. m. and 7 p. m. Text, 10:15 a. m., "We Will Serve the Lord," Joshua 24:24 Subject for the evening sermon, "The Call of Abram," Genesis 12:1-2—the Sunday school lesson for Feb. 16. Sunday school at 9 in the morning.

Mid-Week.

Sunday school officers' and teachers' meeting, Tuesday at 7:30 p m. Wednesday, 7:15 p. m., first Lenten service; subject, "The Temptations of Jesus." The Progressive Guild meets after the service. The King's Daughters meet Thursday evening. Sunday school social on Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock, to which all the members of the church and their friends are invited.

High Street U. B.

Sunday school at 9:15 a. m. Young People's Christian Endeavor at 6:15 p. m. Preaching at 7:00, prompt. Subject, Is the World Getting Better or Worst?" Come, let us all join in the discussion. Rev. C. H. Lilly, pastor.

Central Church of Christ.

525 west North street, A. B. Houze, pastor. Residence, 629 west Elm street. Bible school at 9:15 a. m., Fred W. Curtis, superintendent. A department and a welcome for all from the little tots to the aged grand parents. Junior C. E. at 2.30 p. m. Senior C. E. at 6 p. m. Sermon subject, 10:30 a. m., "A Sign of Victory;" 7 p. m., "The Value of Sacred Music." Evening musical praise service, organ prelude, Miss Lucile Ford. Trio, "Just for Today," Ambrose, Miss Vera Neely, Miss Minnie Sontag, Miss Millie Sontag. Solo, "Nearer My God to Thee," Idle, Mrs. E. J. Evans. Duet, "O Lord We Adore Thee," Evans, Mrs. Melvin Light, Miss Aleen Kahle. Anthem, "Teach Me O Lord," Attwood, choir. Solo, "Abide With Me," Miss Millie Sontag.

Zion's Evangelical Lutheran.

Zion's Evangelical Lutheran church on north Union street. Rev. D. F. Schultz, pastor. Sunday school at 9:15, John A. Mohr, superintendent. Divine services for the first Sunday in Lent at 10:30 a. m., and 7 p. m. Special catechetical lectures for adults on Wednesday at 7:30 p. m. The Luther league will meet on Thursday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. DeLong, 337 south Metcalf street. Your are welcome to attend our services.

First Baptist Church.

Our services begin with the Sunday school which meets promptly at 9:15 followed by worship and sermon. Young people's meeting at 6 o'clock followed by the evening preaching service.

The subject for the morning sermon will be "Beliefs That Have Builded." The evening subject will be, "The Tragedy of Neglect."

The choir will furnish inspiring music for these services.

On Wednesday evening the prayer meeting of the South Side church will be held with the minister of this church in charge or his assistant. The service will begin promptly at 7:30.

On Thursday evening the regular prayer service of the church is held at 7:30

On Friday evening the Young People's Bible class will be held in the church parlors at 7:30, with Miss Black in charge.

A most hearty and cordial invitation is extended to all to the different services of this church.

South Side Church of Christ.

Frederick C. Lake, minister.

Bible school at 9, W. E. Parlette, superintendent. Lesson for the adult classes: "God's Covenant With Noah," Genesis 8:1-9:17.

Church services and communion at 10:30; sermon by the minister. The evening services at 7 will be a missionary program entitled, "An Endeavorer's Dream," by members of the Christian Endeavor society. The public is cordially invited to any and to all of these services.

Trinity Methodist Episcopal.

Southwest corner Market and West streets: M. B. Fuller, pastor. Bible school, 9:15 a m.; A K Hall, superintendent. Worship and sermon, 10:30 a. m.: "The Seamless Robe." Men's meeting at Y M. C. A, 3 p. m. Epworth league, 6 p. m; "The Burden of the Strong." Miss Leatherman, leader. Worship and sermon, 7 p. m.; "The Fear of Self." Music, Chorus choir; special number at night. New members received. Evangelistic touch at all services. A cordial welcome to you.

Grace Methodist Episcopal.

Corner Kibby and Elizabeth streets; Hibbard J. Jewett, pastor. The Sunday morning service at 10:30, will be a patriotic service in honor of Lincoln's birthday. The pastor will preach on "The Character of Lincoln." The patriotic orders following will be our guests: The Grand Army of the Republic, the Woman's Relief Corps, the Sons of Veterans, and the Daughters of Veterans. Seats will be reserved for the orders Sunday school will meet at 9 a. m., and Junior league at 2 p. m. At 6 p. m., the Epworth league and the class meeting will meet in one service for an old fashioned love feast At 7 o'clock, Dr. M. M. Figley will preach and administer the communion of the Lord's Supper. New members will be received at this service.

Church of the Brethren.

East Elm street; S P, Early, pastor. Sunday school, 9:30 a. m. Preaching at 10:30. Christian Workers' meeting at 7 p. m. Preaching at 7:30. All are welcome.

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Second Street M. E.

Rev. W. W. Constien, pastor. All regular services at the usual hours. The pastor will preach at 10:30 a. m., on "A New Creature and His Privileges." At 7 p. m., the Rev. E. T. Bowdle will occupy the pulpit in the absence of the pastor at South Warsaw. Harry Cummings will lead the class meeting at 6 p. m. The public is cordially invited.

Epworth M. E.

Corner of Harrison and Bellefontaine avenues; Rev. M. C. Howey will preach at 10:30 and 7 o'clock. In the morning the topic will be, "Jesus Christ Catching Men." At 7 o'clock, "What Can We do to Win Heaven?" An opportunity will be given at the close of both services to unite with the church. Sunday school at 9:15; Dr. T. T. Sidener, superintendent. A contest for members is on between the Men's class, taught by Mr. Chapman, and the Ladies' class, taught by Mrs. Reed. The services of the day will be evangelistic. Good music, led by chorus choir and Sunday school by orchestra. All invited.

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WOMEN'S CLUBS

SOCIAL CALENDAR.

Sunday.

A delightful musical evening, planned by Miss Millie Sonntag, choir directress of the Central Church of Christ, when the regular monthly musicale will be given.

Second of the series of vesper services, inaugurated by Dr. Arthur M Griffin, rector of Christ Episcopal church, beginning at four o'clock, afternoon.

Monday.

Mrs. E. A. Yocum, of west High street, will entertain at the postponed meeting of the Clionian club, afternoon.

Mrs. R. W. Meily of north West street, will be hostess for the Twentieth Century club, evening.

Mrs. R. J. Plate, of Lakewood avenue, will open her home for the entertainment of the Round Table, afternoon.

Mrs Clara Brotherton, of north Collett street, will be hostess for the Woman's club, afternoon.

Philomathean club will hold their regular weekly meeting with Miss Lillian McKinney, of west North street, evening.

Miss Rhea Weaver, of west Wayne street, will be hostess for the Chautauquans, evening.

Mrs N. D Keyes will entertain the Woman's Bridge club at luncheon at one o'clock, followed by the usual game, afternoon.

Tuesday.

Mrs F. L. Bates, of south Main street, will entertain the Calanthian club, afternoon.

Wednesday.

Mrs Charles C. Hossellman, of west Wayne street, and members of the Floral Guild will be at home to their friends, afternoon.

Mrs H. F. Reel, of east High street will be hostess at an all-day meeting of the Faithful Helpers of St Paul's Lutheran church, morning and afternoon.

Woman's Foreign Missionary society of Trinity Methodist Episcopal church meets in the church parlors, afternoon.

First Baptist Missionary society meets with Miss Leila Kemmer, of west North street, for a study of home conditions, afternoon.

Thursday.

Mrs E. W. Stumpp, of Metcalf and Haller streets, will entertain the Entre Nous club, afternoon.

Regular matinee recital of the Women's Music club, students' program, Elks' Home, afternoon.

High school students will present their little play, "Half-Back Sandy" at the high school auditorium, evening

Woman's Home Missionary society of Grace Methodist Episcopal church meets with Mrs. Ray Barton, of south West street, afternoon.

Luther league of St. Paul's Lutheran church holds valentine social with Miss Dalzell, of west North street evening.

The Needlework club will meet with Mrs Louise Stilson, of south McDonald street, afternoon

Social and Literary club meets with Mrs Joseph Vogelgesang, of south Metcalf street, afternoon

Friday.

High school students repeat their play, "Half-Back Sandy" at the high school auditorium, evening.

Mrs Luah M Butler will entertain the T and T. club at dinner, followed by the regular program, evening.

Mrs Jacob Piper, of west Market street, will be hostess for the Sutorium circle, afternoon.

The week just passed has been a quiet one indeed and aside from the meeting of the church societies, clubs and the society folks who like to gather around the card table for a sociable game, there has been very little of interest to the social world. Not even the advent of Lent was preceded by any large entertainments of note, the principal one being the dance, given by the Knights of Columbus Monday evening, in their hall in the Holland block.

St John's Dramatic society enlivened the week with the production of their little play on Monday afternoon and evening and the middle of the week was characterized by the celebration of Ash Wednesday, always a day of meaning to Catholics, Episcopalians, Lutherans and religious people of other denominations who now observe, in many instances, the beginning and season of this period of penitence.

But with the coming of next week, the valentine season will bring forth a number of small companies and informal affairs and the week following will be a notable one, from a social stand-point. The exit to the south continues and principal among those who have left during the week were Mr. John Lutz and his gifted wife, Mrs. Gertrude Sealts Lutz During the Spanish-American war Mr Lutz covered much of the territory which is included in their itinerary and he will take delight in pointing out these scenes to Mrs. Lutz They left early in the week for New York and are sailing today for an extended sojourn in the British West Indies and the Barbadoes.

Mrs B. M. Moulton, of west Market street, had the members of the Twentieth Century club with her, Monday evening, for the regular meeting. The study subject was devoted to a discussion of education of the child and in response to roll call, a well-known educator was named. Miss Gertrude Greenslade gave a paper on "The Montessori Method of Education," and both in her paper and in the remarks that followed, it was brought out that while this system might work well with the foreign child, American boys and girls are so differently brought up that the Froebel method of instruction seems to be favored. Although a happy use of the two systems, taking out the good of each, might work wonderful results.

Miss Greenslade had seen the Montessori method used in connection with Italian children in Indianapolis and she had noted it produced splendid results, indicating it was much more valuable in connection with the education of the boys and girls of foreign birth.

Miss Timberlake followed with a paper, in which she discussed industrial education, showing clearly the progress made in this branch of instruction within the past few years. Mrs. D. J. Cable, who was in attendance at the meeting of the federation of women's clubs at Van Wert, gave a splendid report and enthused the club anew with her federation echoes. Refreshments were served and the club had the pleasure of renewing old acquaintance with Mrs. George P. Waldorf, of Toledo, who was invited to meet with them. Mrs R. W. Meily, of 329 north West street, will be hostess Monday evening.

The first meeting of the Arbutus club since the Lotus and Arbutus clubs have been holding separate gatherings, was held Monday afternoon with Mrs. A. B. Gray, of west North street The program was devoted entirely to a discussion of current events, in which each member took part. The club regrets the necessity of meeting apart from the Lotus, when such delightful gatherings have been held, with Madame Emily Wakefield as the leading attraction on the program, giving to the members of her store of valuable knowledge of history, literature, art and music. Tea and cakes were served in the social half-hour enjoyed. Mrs. Harry Moulton will entertain the club in a fortnight. Mrs. W. J. McLaughlin is the efficient secretary of the Arbutus club, and has in charge the arrangements of the meetings.

Members of the Calanthian club and a few guests surprised Mrs R. C. Treaster in her new home, Washington and Brice avenue, Wednesday evening, when a delightful house-warming was enjoyed. The guests took the articles which made up a delicious supper and as the hour of midnight drew near, the supper was enjoyed. Euchre was played during the early part of the evening Members and guests presented Mrs. Treaster with a cut glass bowl Mrs. J. A. Mullen won the prize at cards and her efforts were rewarded with a basket of winter flowers, tied with a long flowing streamer of tulle

Friends of Mrs T. D McLaughlin are very happy to know that next week will likely see her return to her home in Lima, after having been in Fort Wayne, Ind., for some weeks, where she submitted to an operation. Mrs McLaughlin is improved to the extent that her return is practically assurred.

Mrs Albert H Beecher, of west Spring street, opened her home Thursday afternoon for the entertainment of the Ideal club The rooms were made more cheerful with valentine decorations and at the end of a string, guests found a comical valentine. When these were compared, they afforded much amusement. At five little tables, guests were seated for the luncheon which followed, and which was served by Miss Lenore Beecher and Miss Kelly The place cards were dainty little valentine favors. Miss Beecher, who is a student at Oberlin, but who has been ill and had returned to her home in Lima, favored the assembly with several musical numbers.

Although Lent has just begun and Easter is afar off, Miss Millie Sonntag, the efficient choir directress of the Central Church of Christ and upon whom Lima is so dependent for the success of her ladies' choruses abroad when competition becomes great, has arranged for a vesper service, to be given at the Central Church of Christ on Easter Sunday afternoon. Talent from out of the city, as well as the best there is in Lima, will have a part in the program.

Lima has the honor of having the only club in the state of Ohio with which men are identified, and which is affiliated with the Ohio State Federation of Women's clubs, that vast body of women which is doing so much for the betterment of humanity in every phase of life This is the T. and T club of Lima, which is composed of both men and women. The club is a member of the city federation and also of the state federation It was among the clubs represented at the district meeting at Van Wert last week and it was then that this special honor became known. Other clubs allied with the city federation and who are represented at the district meeting, but who are composed wholly of ladies, were the Round Table, Women's Music, Woman's club, Etude, Sorosis, Arbutus, Clionians, Twentieth CenturyShakespeare, Sutorium circle, Bayview and Lotus clubs The Business Woman's club and the Civic League were also represented.

The Cincinnati Symphony Chamber Music society, recruited from the orchestra forces which played here on February 10, gave the second concert of a series of four at the Hotel Sinton in Cincinnati, Tuesday evening. The audience listened delightedly to the flowing and penetrating melodies of Mozart, with Weingartner sandwiched between the D-major piano trio of Beethoven, at which the assisting artist was the leader of the Cincinnati Symphony orchestra, Dr. Ernest Kunwald, who is so pleasantly remembered in Lima. The occasion was an interesting one and brought out a large and fashionable and enthusiastic audience.

Dr. Kunwald appeared with Mrs. Kunwald at the hotel for supper and their entrance was most flattering.

Dainty invitations, reading as follows, have been issued:

The Floral Guild
At Home With
Mrs. Charles C. Hossellman
Wednesday, February Twelfth
Nineteen Hundred and Thirteen
One Thousand, West Wayne St.

The guild will receive three separate companies, from the hours of two to three, from three to four and from four to five o'clock. Those who call are expected to leave a dime for the benefit of the guild. Mrs. R. P. Jones is president.

The Floral Guild is devoted principally to charitable work. The society sends monthly to Lima hospital bunches of beautiful flowers to cheer the sick and scatter sunshine in their own little way. The members who compose the guild are from the various churches of the city, who are banded together, intent on doing good and helping others, not so fortunate as themselves Aside from these commendable features, social meetings are also held every month In the time they have been organized, the guild has accomplished much.

The Pythian Ladies will celebrate the third anniversary of their organization Friday evening, February 21, at Pythian temple At that time members of the grand lodge will be present to respond to toasts. The evening will prove an interesting one in Pythian circles It is likely that the district convention will precede the anniversary celebration, reaching a climax in the banquet to be served that evening

The Calanthian club will be entertained by Mrs F L Bates, of 608 south Main street, Tuesday afternoon The club membership is made up of Pythian ladies

Madame Emily Wakefield and her nurse, Mrs. Nellie Lowery, started Wednesday afternoon for Shreveport, La., where they will spend the remainder of the winter with Mrs. Wakefield's son, Mr. Harold Wakefield and with another son, Mr. Leo Wakefield, of Frees, La. Although Madame Wakefield had to be carried to the carriage for transportation to the station, it is believed that the delightful climate of the sunny south will be the means of bringing her back to health and vigor.

Mrs. Otey McKnight left Monday for her home in Dalhart, Texas, after an extended visit with her parents, Hon and Mrs S. S Wheeler Mrs Wheeler accompanied her daughter. She will spend several months in Dalhart, Texas, and in Marlin Springs, Texas, one of the winter resorts of that state.

The weekly coming together of members of the Round Table was made more enjoyable upon the occasion of Monday afternoon, because of the interesting and comprehensive report of the federation meeting of women's clubs, which was held at Van Wert, and which was given by the delegate, Mrs H F Reel There was a large attendance of the membership at the home of Mrs R A Buchanan, of west Market street. Mrs Harry Hiner gave a splendid book review of "Immigration of Australia" In the social half-hour that followed, the hostess served cake, ice cream, coffee and mints The club will meet next week with Mrs. R J Plate, of Lakewood avenue. The leaders will be Mrs. J R Johnson and Mrs Kincaide.

Delightful indeed are the series of vesper services, arranged for the Sunday afternoons of mid-winter, by Rev. (Dr) Arthur M. Griffin, rector of Christ Episcopal church, and which will possibly be held throughout the lenten season Aside from the interesting talks by the rector, the music will be a feature, under the direction of Mr Ernest Baird and the large chorus choir

Judge J N Hutchison and Miss Halce Hutchison entertained at a delightful turkey dinner, Tuesday evening, at their home on south Cole street, when the employes of the probate judge's office, over which Mr Hutchison has presided for some years, were honored guests Seated about the table were Mr. and Mrs Fred Becker, Miss Mayme Duggan, her sister, Miss Lillian Duggan, Mr Robert B Tolan, his father, Mr. David H Tolan, Mr. and Mrs Thomas Phalen, Judge Hutchison and Miss Hutchison.

Miss Bernadine Taubken of north Elizabeth street entertained the Etude club at the regular meeting Tuesday afternoon. The romantic period in piano music was the subject for study and interpretations and Mrs John Cable was leader The following enjoyable program was given:

Nocturne. . . . . .Field
Mrs Earl Sealts
Nocturne, Opus 9, No. 2....Chopin
Miss Jean Harter
Piano Solo... . . Schumann
Miss Erma Van Fleet
Violin Solo, "Pictures From Fairyland".. .....Schumann
Mrs John Cable
Piano Concerto in C Minor . . . . . Beethoven
Miss Ella Evsenbach
String Quartette Accompaniment, Miss Vera Hanson, violin; Miss Glenna Morris, violin; Mrs. John Cable viola; Miss Bernadine Taugkencello. Miss Morris substituted for Miss Gail Watson. Misses Jessie Neely and Erma Van Fleet came from St. Marys to attend the meeting, which proved most enjoyable. Over the tea table, the members discussed the numbers and things musical.

The postponed meeting of the Clionian club will be held Monday afternoon with Mrs. E. A. Yocum of 754 west High street. The club has in store some interesting papers anent old Mexico.

The second annual ball of the boilermakers and their helpers was given Monday evening at the Auditorium. An orchestra furnished splendid music for a program of fifteen dances. There was a large attendance of the members and their friends and a most enjoyable evening was spent. Dancing was enjoyed until the hour of midnight.

A distinct honor has come to Miss Glenna Morris, the young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S A. Morris of west Market street, who has signed a contract to appear throughout the remainder of the season with the Oberlin Concert company. Miss Morris is a talented violinist and reflects great credit upon herself and upon the city. She will leave Monday morning for Uniontown, Pa., where she will play in the evening The company is one of the high-class organizations of the country and is booked for a tour of the east and south before the season closes early in the summer.

Mrs. Harold Smith of west Elm street, dispensed gracious hospitality to the members of the Progressives, Tuesday afternoon Mrs Irwin Green, Mrs Harry Miller, Mrs. Eward Smith and Mrs. Martin were invited guests to enjoy the afternoon From a large basket, each lady drew a valentine and in response to roll call, read therefrom the comic quotation. When the needlework had been laid aside, a fruit contest was submitted, in which Mrs George Quail won and her efforts were rewarded by the gift of a hand embroidered towel A two-course luncheon was served The next meeting of the club will be held with Mrs. Lloyd Sherrick

Mrs. John Miller of west Elm street, entertained the Bayview club, Monday afternoon. Ten members responded to the call of the roll, naming current events Mrs. D H. Sullivan read an interesting paper on "Ibsen" and Miss Katharine Reilly told of his work "The Doll's House" Mrs Julia Simpson, Mrs Miller and Mrs Sullivan all of whom had attended the district meeting of the federation of clubs at Van Wert, told of the inspiring meeting held and the good derived from the organization All were enthusiastic concerning the meeting and the hospitality extended by the Van Wert ladies

While the hostess served a delicious luncheon, the open meeting, to be held with Mrs Beecher Moke was discussed At this time each member may invite three guests Mrs George S Vieau who has made personal trips to the Holy land has been secured to deliver a lecture Other numbers will later be added to the interesting program This meeting will be held Monday afternoon, February 17

Mrs J E Mulligan of west Spring street, opened her home Tuesday [illegible] Domestic Science club Eight members responded to roll call by listing of current events Three guests—Mrs. F B Lewis, Mrs Glen Wallace and Mrs [illegible] Arbaugh, were privileged to enjoy the afternoon with the club Mrs C E Losee read an interesting paper from the subject, "How to Make House Keeping an Inspiring Profession Instead of a Deadening Drudge" Mrs George Hall brought out a wealth of valuable hints and some amusing situations in her paper on The Deadly Frying Pan" Mrs H C. Bennett cautioned the members in her talk on "Avoiding Left-Overs."

A two-course luncheon was served at the close of the program, while the ladies discussed good house keeping in general and home-making in particular Mrs T C Pennell of west Market street, will be hostess for the club in two weeks

Mrs W H Roush, of south Baxter street entertained the Winodaughsis circle, Wednesday afternoon, at her home Thirteen members were present and Mrs Roush invited a guest Mrs Parmley, to enjoy the [illegible] with the club The afternoon hours were spent over needlework and at the close, the social half-hour was otherwise made more enjoyable by the serving of a delicious luncheon

The K K K girls were very pleasantly entertained Thursday evening by Miss Etne Rotroff, at her home on Bellefontaine avenue The business of the evening was attended to and was followed by a social time A delicious supper was served by the hostess The members present were Misses Clara Freisinger, Jane Kuhn, Arlene Repass, Fae John, Edythe Jones Grace Bullock, Ethel Rotroff, Kathryn McKeever and Mina Repass The next meeting will be held Thursday evening, February 20 with Miss Arlene Repass, of 805 north Metcalf street

One of the pre-lenten events of much pleasure was the dance given Monday evening by the Knights of Columbus at their hall in the Holland block on east High street The membership of the order in Lima extends to surrounding towns and many of the knights thus affiliated, with their ladies, were present for the dance. During the intermission, supper was served Dancing continued to the strains of splendid music, until the midnight hour.

Members of the Sorosis club held an enjoyable meeting Monday afternoon with Mrs. George Robinson of south Baxter street. Responding to roll call, current events were given. The club has been studying the countries of Europe and Monday was Italian day. Mrs J. S. Nichols read a paper on "The Present Royal Family." Mrs. Bailis Simpson told of Naples and its connection with the Mediterrean sea traffic and Mrs. James McKinney, in her paper, took the club upon a sight-seeing tour of ancient and historic Rome. The program proved of extreme interest and was made even more delightful on account of the efforts devoted to the papers and the subject matter with which each was invested.

While the ladies lingered for a short social chat, the hostess served delicious refreshments. Mrs. J S. Nichols' guest, Miss Dadbowell of Nichols' guest, Miss MacDonald of club.

The next meeting will take the form of a social session, at which time the club will hold a banquet, to which the husbands will be invited. The date is set for Tuesday evening, February 18 and Mr. and Mrs Charles A Otter of 503 north Jameson avenue, will be entertainers upon this occasion.

Lima high school students will blossom forth as real Thespians at the high school auditorium on Thursday and Friday evenings of next week, when they will present a comedy in three acts, entitled, "Half-Back Sandy."

This is one of the most mirth-provoking plays ever staged by the high school, and the management expects to eclipse all former efforts in interest and attendance

Nightly rehearsals are being held under the able supervision of the Misses Beattie and Retelstorf and Mr. Hall, members of the high school faculty Prof Cotner has charge of the business arrangements.

A crowd of young people enjoyed a delightful sleigh ride to the home of Miss Audale Reif, who lives on the St John's road, just beyond the precincts of the city, Monday evening The start was made from the Public Square and the city streets were traversed before the party finally drew up at the Reif home. Games and music were enjoyed and when midnight drew near, supper, consisting of sandwiches, pickles, bananas, cake, gelatine and hot chocolate was served. The young people to participate in the event were Misses Ruth Pugh, Mae Wheelbarger, Audale Reif, Marie Fohinblua, Marie Miller and Fern Green, Messrs Rex Matthews, Ray Stonehill, Harry Brown, Peter Harruff, Horn Reichelderfer and Vergil Jenkins.

The regular monthly meeting of the Mission Study club of the Spring Street Luthern church, was held at Beaverdam, Tuesday evening The club accepted the invitation of one of the members, Mrs. Clara Russell, wife of Dr Russell Twenty-six members made up the happy party, which left here on an evening car over the Western Ohio The paper of the evening was read by Miss Lugarda Finicle from the subject of Japan Remarks by Rev G C. Schaub, the pastor, followed The business of the club was also disposed of. Supper was served before the return of the party to Lima It was the first opportunity the members have enjoyed meeting with Dr and Mrs Russell, since their marriage became public and since they are located in such a beautiful home. They were married some time before announcement was made of the same So then the occasion was the expression for many good wishes and congratulations. Mrs Russell still retains her membership in the club

Mrs F A Shook spend the past week in Lorain at the home of her aunt Mrs David Friedly Mrs E W Mosier, her mother, has joined her for a stay at the Friedly home Mrs Friedly is just recovering from the effects of an operation, to which he submitted

Mr and Mrs. Anthony Pfeum of 710 west High street, have gone for a stay of several weeks, during which they will visit southern cities

Mrs. C I Lufkin, of 510 west Market street has been called to Indianapolis by the very serious illness of her sister residing in that city

Mr M A Rader has returned to her home in Akron, after a visit with her daughter Mrs Paul Crawford, of Brice avenue.

Miss Doris Hill, whose eleventh birthday occurred Wednesday, was pleasantly surprised by a company of her young friends After the supper, the guests played games and sang songs that would gladden every heart Those who enjoyed the festivities of the evening were Madaline Cramer, Effie Avery, Jennie Feightener, Abbie Wilson, Leona O Neill, Donna Shealy, Hazel Baird, Edith Bodkin, Juanita Rice, Thelma Flesh, Marguerite Slade, Cleo Boyer, Wilbur Kerstetter, Albert Lewis, Roy Clements, Roy and Robert Slade, Lillis and Paul Gilmore, Irene, Stanley, Lynol and John Hill, Mr and Mrs Thomas Hill

The regular meeting of the Woman's club will be held Monday afternoon with Mrs Clara Brotherton, of 126 north Collett street Mythology will still be the subject the club has under study.

Mrs Eva Crops entertained the Bible class of which she is teacher, at her home on Linden avenue, Wednesday evening.

Announcement was made during the week of the marriage of Miss Eva Lockett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs Keete Lockett, of Coushatta, La, and Mr Charles Mills, son of Rev [illegible] Mills, formerly of Lima, but who is now located in Oil City, La. The ceremony took place in Shreveport, La. The home of the young people will be in Oil City, where Mr. Mills is engaged in business. The bridegroom is a brother to Mrs. Dildine, of west High street.

Mrs. T. F. Clark, of 607 east High street, has returned from a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Earl Thomas, of Toledo.

Misses Helena and Bess Callahan are in the east for a stay of a fortnight

Members of the Orion Maennerchor and their friends enjoyed a pleasant evening of dancing Tuesday, at the lodge rooms of the society. The large hall was filled with the dancers. The pleasant pastime continued until midnight.

Mr. and Mrs. George R. Carter, Miss Kathryn Walsh and Miss Anna Connair left today for a stay of a fotnight in New York City

Miss Adeline Bland, of 201 west Wayne street, is in the east for a stay of a week or ten days

Mrs S. A Morris and her guest, Mrs (Dr) Asbury, of Worthington, Ohio, spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs Carl M. Wells, of Ada. Mr. Wells is a brother to Mrs. Morris and a cousin to her guest.

The local nest of Owls entertained members at a masquerade ball Friday evening, at their hall on east High street. The grand march began at 10:30 o'clock and dancing continued until the early morning hours. Prizes were given to the lady and gentleman who displayed the best make-up and to each who wore the most grotesque costume. Rothlesberger's orchestra furnished music for the program of dances.

Mrs E W. Stumpp, of Metcalf and Haller streets, will entertain the Entre Nous club, at the regular fortnightly meeting, to be held Thursday afternoon.

Valentine Day is an ideal time to announce an engagement Cut from white or red cards two hearts of the same size, decorate them in any appropriate way or simply print on them the names of the bride and bridegroom-to-be This may be done in red ink if the cards are white, or in gold. Tie the two cards together with red ribbons or gold cord. Put in a suitable envelope and mail to friends. Where one does not wish the formality of an announcement party or the trouble entailed in giving a luncheon or dinner to friends, this simple way may be utilized and the announcement be in quite good taste and form, as well.

Miss Bonnie Linn has returned from a delightful visit of a week with friends in Dayton.

Miss Emma Motter, who has been a guest of Mrs. I. S. Motter, has gone to St Joseph, Mo., to make a visit, before returning to her home. Miss Motter will again stop off in Lima.

The following little bit of sentiment, expressed at the season of hearts and cupids in February, tells what game of little valentine:

"I've never loved a girl but you,"
Such was the young man's exclamation.
"If that," the maiden said, "is true,
You go and get a reputation."
—Woman's World for February.

With all the little social arrangements that go to fill up the calendar of the valentine season, nothing could be more delightful than a valentine dinner, the menu of which might faithfully portray the following:

Tomato Soup
Celery Stuffed Olives
Heart Salad
Boiled Salmon with White Sauce
Roast Beef with Gravy
Sweet Potatoes Creamed Parsnips
Red Raspberry Sherbet
Bavarian Cream
Cakes Baked in Heart-Shaped Tins
Mixed Nuts
Cheese Crackers Coffee

Mrs Jennie Eger, teacher in the Garfield school, had for her guest, Friday, Mrs. Viol, of Delphos.

Miss Elizabeth Parrett, of west North street, was hostess for the Chatauquans, Monday evening. The reading of the book, "As a Man Thinks" was concluded and discussed The hostess gave an interesting review of "The Butterfly and the Wheel" Miss Zoe Bower was a guest. In the social half-hour that followed the study period, the hostess served delicious refreshments The club will meet Monday evening, with Miss Rhea Weaver, of 71 west Wayne street

Miss Julia Arthur, of Brice avenue, entertained the Congregational circle, Tuesday afternoon Arrangements were made at this meeting for the proper celebration of the birthday of the patron saint of the Welsh people, St David, which will be held at the church and 600 invitations will be issued Thursday evening, February 26, will be the date of this happy event After the business had been taken care of, Mrs Arthur served a delicious two-course luncheon and a few social moments were enjoyed. Guests to enjoy the afternoon with the members were Mrs. S. G. Roloson, Mrs. Mary Morgan, Dr. Leickley, Mrs. James, of Kenyon City, Colorado, Mrs Leonard Walther, Mrs. Edgar and Miss Iva Baxter.

Mrs. Arthur again opened her home in the evening, when she entertained members of the First Congregational choir and the pastor of the church, Rev. Samuel I. Davis. Fourteen guests were present. Supper was served.

Miss Millie Sonntag, choir directress of the Central Church of Christ, has arranged for the rendition of the following delightful musical program, upon the occasion of the regular monthly musicale of this church, Sunday evening at 7 o'clock:

Trio, "Just For Today"...Ambrose
Misses Vera Neely, Minale Sonntag and Millie Sonntag.
Solo, "Nearer My God to Thee" ..... Lidie
Mrs J. E Evans
Duet, "O Lord, We Adore Thee" ..... Evans
Mrs. Melvin Light, Miss Aleen Kahle
Anthem, "Teach Me, O Lord" ..... Attwood
Choir
Solo, "Abide With Me".....Liodie
Miss Millie Sonntag
Miss Lucile Ford, at the organ.

The Woman's Foreign Missionary society of Trinity Methodist Episcopal church, will hold their regular meeting Wednesday afternoon in the church parlors, with Mrs. George McCluro as hostess. The following program will be given upon this occasion:

Devotions—Mrs Margaret Ireland

Third Chapter Text-Book—Mrs. George Vicary.

Reading—"The Leading Schools in China"—Mrs. Delkman.

"Bright Bits From School Experiences" and "Flying Journey to Haitang"—Mrs. E. E. Shafer.

Mystery Box—In charge of Mrs. I. S. Scoville.

Music—In charge of Mrs. E. G. Conner.

Kindergarten—In charge of Mrs. Feeley and Mrs. Loucks.

Chairmen of Committee on Refreshments—Mrs. L. C. Binkley and Mrs. Charles Black.

Mrs. A. W. Ruff, of 125½ west Market street, was the charming hostess Tuesday evening, when she entertained the guards and officers of Allen Hive, No. 197, Ladies of the Maccabees, Mrs. Ruff being retiring captain this term. The evening was enjoyed by about 35 guests and was spent in games and music. The rooms were prettily done in pink and white carnations and the colors of the order, red, black and white were prominent in bunting and posters. With the advent of midnight, supper, consisting of pimento sandwiches, gelatine, with whipped cream, cake and coffee, was served. Mrs. Harry Hildreth came from Delphos to attend.

The Needlework club will be entertained Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Louise Stilson, of 409 south McDonald street.

One of the delightful social evenings of the month which are anticipated with more than ordinary pleasure, will be the old-fashioned concert, planned for Friday evening, February 21, and which will be held at the First Baptist church. Two of these concerts have previously been held and have afforded genuine pleasure. Old-fashioned melodeons will take the place of the pipe organ for furnishing the music and the numbers will be the good old songs our grandfathers and grandmothers used to join their voices in praise, years ago. The church will be lighted with candles and invitations and all the arrangements for the evening, will be carried out in keeping with the tastes of long ago.

Mrs. A. W. Ruff, of 125½ west Market street, entertained the Wahenna Embroidery club, Tuesday afternoon, at her home. All members but two responded to roll call. Mrs. S. Ruff was a guest of the afternoon. The ladies busied themselves with needle and thimble until the hour of 4.30 o'clock, when they were ushered into the dining-room, where a delicious luncheon was served. Pink and white carnations formed the table decorations and the place cards were miniature white Cupids. The menu consisted of pigs in the blanket, mashed potatoes, with gravy, Boston baked beans, olives, apple pie a la mode, coffee and mints. The club will meet in a fortnight, with Mrs. D Steizer of 510 south Metcalf street

The Luther league of St. Paul's Lutheran church has arranged for a valentine social at the home of Miss Dalzell, of 915 west North street, Thursday evening. The committee in charge are arranging for a pleasant time

The Woman's Missionary society of the First Baptist church will meet Wednesday afternoon with Miss Leila Kemmer, of 775 west North street. A program of much interest has been arranged. The meeting will begin promptly at the hour of two o'clock The topic is a home mission one and will include a study of our country and our state Mrs Griffin will be assistant hostess A cordial invitation is extended to all women to attend

The Faithful Helpers of St. Paul's Lutheran church will hold an all-day sewing Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Henry F. Reel of 351 east High street Members and their friends are expected to attend.

The Woman's Home Missionary society of Grace Methodist Episcopal church will meet Thursday afternoon February 13, at the home of Mrs. Ray Barton of 561 south West street The following interesting program will be given, with Mrs. W. W Gallard as leader:

Bible lesson, Mrs L. Davis.

Paper, "General Character of the Book of Mormon," Mrs. J H. Morrison

Leaflet, "Tragedies of Mormon Life," Mrs. Franks.

Leaflet, "Mormonism A Challenge To Christianity," Mrs. Nutting

The music for this afternoon will be under the direction of Mrs. G. A. Herrett. Members of the church, as well as of the missionary society, will be made welcome

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WOMENS CLUBS

Twenty-six members and guests were privileged to enjoy the regular meeting of the Woman's Home Missionary society of the First United Brethren church, held Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Fred Spornhauer of 554 Ontario street. The meeting opened with a song, in which all joined their voices. Mrs. Charles Voris conducted the devotions. Mrs. Voris and Mrs Ballard also rendered a pleasing vocal number, Mrs. W. W. Mitchell had an interesting reading which concerned the work of missions. The lesson was in charge of Mrs J. B. Bovey.

The society was privileged to have with them Mrs Mary Jane Goodlin, the aged mother of Mrs. Spornhauer, who has lived to see 93 years, many of which have been spent in the service of the church.

A luncheon of several courses was served, while the ladies chatted and visited. It was noted with pleasure that the revival services at this church still continue with splendid results, and the ladies are doing not a little to further their progress. Guests invited were: Mesdames Clevenger, Mills, Collins, Kennedy, Engle and Rimer. Mrs. Rimer added her name to the society's list, at the close of the meeting. Mrs J. C Schlegel, Mrs J. B Bovey and Mrs J. H. Allen were named as delegates to the branch meeting of the society, to be held either in Fostoria or Findlay in April. Alternates are Mrs Charles Voris, Mrs. Lizzie Poage and Mrs. Vanatta. The next meeting will be with Mrs. W. H. Parent, when the annual election of officers will be held.

Miss Isabelle Mackenzie entertained the Philomathean club, Monday evening, at the regular weekly meeting. The club is studying Russia and Mrs. C. E. Thomas gave a paper on "The Policy of Russia to Her Subjects" and Miss Blanche Andrews told of "The Relation of Russia to Her Neighbors." Mrs. Van Cleve Holmes, of New York City, enjoyed the meeting with the club. A social half-hour was enjoyed, during which light refreshments were passed. The meeting Monday evening will be held with Miss Lillian McKinney, of 724 west North street.

The Coterie circle will meet with Mrs. A. D. Sutton, of 918 west High street, Tuesday afternoon, for the regular fortnightly meeting.

A social afternoon over embroidery work was enjoyed by the Colloquim club, at the home of Mrs. Evans, of south West street, Thursday afternoon. In response to roll call, members gave quotations. Mrs. Thomas and Mrs. Thayer were guests. The meeting, in a fortnight, will be with Mrs. Charles Meyers, of south Elizabeth street.

A called meeting of the Progressives will be held Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. A. E. Gale, president of the club, at her home, Washington and High streets. The session will open promptly at two o'clock and members are urged to be present. Mrs. A. O. Hotchkiss is secretary.

Mrs. N. D. Keyes will entertain the Woman's Bridge club at luncheon Monday afternoon, followed by the usual game.

Mrs. James Sullivan entertained the West End Bridge club, Tuesday afternoon, having for guests also Mrs. George Carter, Mrs. Clara Brotherton and Mrs. Warren J. McLaughlin. Luncheon was served at one o'clock, and the afternoon hours spent with cards.

The Oneta club met with Mrs. L. Deikman, of west Spring street, for the regular weekly meeting. The quotations were from Lincoln and the decorations of the various rooms were in the American colors. Piano and violin numbers were given by Robert Deikman and Nondes Slussher. Mrs. H. Black, of Saginaw, Mich., was a guest. The hostess served a delicious luncheon. The meeting, in a fortnight, will be with Mrs. E. E. Shafer, of south West street.

Mrs. Charles W. Werst was one of the entertainers of the week, giving a large company to which seventy-five were invited to her home on south Cole street. Mrs. A. D. Knisely, of south Baxter street, also entertained at one of the delightful gatherings of the week, when she had the Fortnightly Bridge club Wednesday. Mrs. Oliver Steiner gave a luncheon and Miss Lyle Harter also entertained a company of friends.

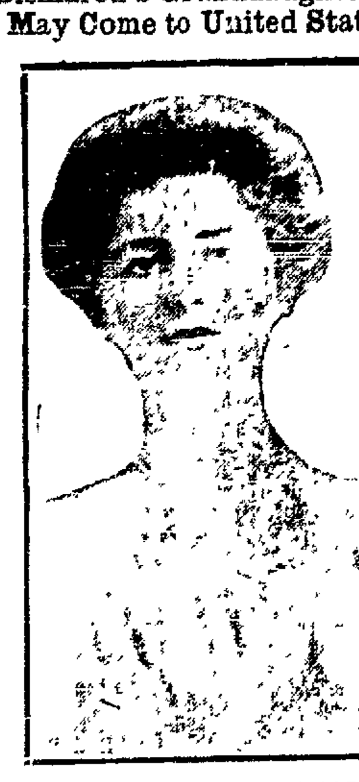
Large hearts, ranging in size from fifteen inches wide to the tiniest ones decorated the Business Woman's club-house on west Market for the monthly supper, Wednesday evening. The menu consisted of.

Valentine Potatoes
Creamed Salmon in
Shredded Wheat Baskets
Cabbage Salad with Beef Hearts
Ice Cream with Redberry Sauce
Marshmallow Teas
Coffee

About one hundred took advantage of the supper, which is served for the small sum of 15 cents. The supper was followed by the rendition of a splendid program in which Mrs. John Cable, Mrs. A. L. White, Mrs. John H. Evans, Mrs. Kent Hughes, Mrs. Roy Banta, Mrs. R. O. Woods, Mrs. E. A. Siferd and Mrs. Harry Kline took part. Mrs. C. S. Baxter, who was on the program, was unable to take part on account of illness.

SARAH ELIZABETH:
Those muffins you liked so well were made from Gold Medal Flour. LIZZY

Bismarck's Granddaughter May Come to United States



COUNTESS HANNAH BISMARCK

Countess Hannah Bismarck, the charming granddaughter of the late chancellor of Germany, Prince Bismarck, who cemented the German provinces into a great empire, is now visiting friends in England. The countess has become greatly interested in this country and it is reported that she is planning a trip to America.

PICTURESQUE HAVANA.

A Foreign City in Every Sense, With Its Own Odd Charm.

Americans driving to their hotel through Havana's narrow, noisy streets invariably exclaim that it seems to them "as if they were abroad." The question—to borrow a phrase from the widely traveled but unemotional Mr Baedeker—"need not detain them long." They are abroad. Havana is not merely "like a foreign town;" it is a foreign town. It has its own odd look, its special picturesqueness, its own tumultuous life. It abounds in unknown dishes and strange fruits, and upon the hot tropic night it pours out half barbaric music and queer melancholy songs.

The long traditions of the Spanish dominion of the two Americas still cling about Havana's fortresses and the palaces, churches and monasteries of her ancient streets. She was a proud, rich city, the entrepot of the west, when our northern mainland was a wilderness. And now in the Cuban twentieth century she is a crowded, thriving, gay metropolis, with her own pride, her own tropic airs and graces, her own wholly un-American individuality.

She may be crowded in the brief winter season with American tourists, may contain (as indeed she always has contained) a considerable American business colony and may be a refuge for derelicts and vagabonds straight from the pages of O Henry, Richard Harding Davis and other Kiplings of Spanish America. Still, she is always the old Havana, the Cuban capital of Cuba.—Harrison Rhodes in Metropolitan.

Sir Humphry Davy.

Sir Humphry Davy married a widow as peculiar as himself. His pet affectation was a lack of time. He was always in a hurry. He pretended that he had no leisure to dress himself, and when a change of linen became necessary he simply put one shirt over another until he was known to have on five or six shirts at a time. Of course he could not wear this amount of apparel without appreciably increasing his size, and his friends not in the secret were sometimes surprised to see him fall off in apparent weight twenty pounds in a day. His wife's great anxiety was to keep him "fit for company," but as he did not care a fig for company she had no easy task, and domestic discord was a common thing.

The Light That Failed.

It was by an accident that Mr Kipling got his famous title, "The Light That Failed." He had almost decided to call the novel "The Failure," although he was dissatisfied with this. One evening as he was sitting in his study reading by lamplight the light went suddenly down—almost failed, in fact. In a second Kipling jumped up, exclaiming excitedly, 'By Jove, I've got it!' Pointing to the lamp, he said, "The Light That Failed."

As an Offset.

"That girl has been promoted twice to my once. She has all the luck in this office."

"Well, I notice that she also has most of the work on her shoulders. So I guess she's entitled to the luck."—Washington Herald.

Made Her Laugh.

Tom—Did Miss Roxley entertain your proposal? Jack—On the contrary, my proposal seemed to entertain her.—Boston Transcript.

Emily Bronte.

G. K. Chesterton has added his meed of praise to Emily Bronte, the woman writer, who of all others has perhaps won most unstinted praise from men. A splendid creature Chesterton calls the author of "Wuthering Heights," and the book itself he finds likewise splendid. "But there is nothing human about it. It might have been written by an eagle."

A Perfect Defense.

"Sam, dear," asked Mrs. Prouty, who had been away from home the greater part of July and August, "what is the matter with the garden?"

"I don't know," answered Sam humbly. "I haven't done anything to it."—Youth's Companion.

Spunky Retort.

Mrs Peck—Henry, why did you feign sleep last night when I was talking to you? Henry—My dear, I did not feign sleep, though I fain would have slept.—Judge.

JULIET'S BALCONY.

It Looks Just as It Did When Romeo Wooed the Sweet Veronese.

This was the home of the Capulets, from whom descended Juliet, for whom so many kind hearts have wept and of whom the poets have sung.

You read the words on a tablet by the side of a tall and slender gray house in a quiet street of Verona. A few steps farther on the busy life of the old city is centered in the market place and in the one or two streets that lead from it. You stand in front of the lightly built dwelling, and you look at the slim balcony of wood from which bent forward the form of the radiant girl whose undying love story has echoed down the ages. It is an autumn day, and within the rail of the narrow framework some one has placed red flowers in tall green pots. A curtain at the little window moves in the breeze, and you expect at any moment to see the dainty form of Juliet appear and to hear a rippling laugh fall from her lips.

A woman steps from the room beyond, through the open window and stands to listen. She has a child in her arms, and he claps his hands, laughing and crowing, no doubt just as the beloved Veronese did centuries ago. The mother hushes him, for she is intently listening to the market cries. In the midst of that everyday life walks the immortal Juliet.—London Telegraph.

POWER OF THE SUN.

If Man Could Only Utilize It In a Perfect Heat Engine.

The heat of the sun that would be received on one square acre of the earth's surface at right angles to the rays of the sun, if the sky was clear and all other conditions favorable, would, if man could utilize all in a perfect heat engine, exert the power of 12,000 horses. But this figure is not of mathematical accuracy owing to the discrepancy of results among different researchers in many parts of the world, on plains at sea level, higher, and on tops of the highest mountains to which scientific instruments could be carried.

And this great force has been at work during millions of years in forming the world for the abode of coming man. Winds, tides, rains, chemical activity, coal, wood, oil—these and more are all due to this vast power of the sun.

A "horsepower" (how much longer will this word be used, when kilowatt is so much better?) is a force that can lift a weight of 33,000 pounds through a height of one foot in one minute. Thus the solar power reaching the deck of a slow going steamer, if all made available by the genius of man, could run the engines at a reasonable and comparatively safe rate.—Edgar Lucien Larkin in New York American.

Satellites of Saturn.

Photometric studies of six of the principal satellites of Saturn, made by Guthnick of the royal observatory of Berlin, indicate a confirmation of the previous conclusions of other observers that several, and perhaps all, of these satellites behave like our own moon in keeping always the same side toward the planet around which they revolve. In regard to the satellite named Tethys, an interesting hypothesis is offered to account for its very marked changes of luminosity. The theory is that Tethys possesses the form of a long ellipsoid, the two principal axes of which are to one another in the ratio of five to two. A similar suggestion has been made concerning the shape of the asteroid Eros, which likewise exhibits great variations of light, according to its position in its orbit around the sun.—Harper's.

Keep the Armholes Down

It is strange that not one person in a thousand knows how to help a man on with his coat or a lady with her jacket. They all make the mistake of holding the garment too high, especially the last sleeve. They lift it so that a man nearly dislocates his arm reaching for it. The more futilely he grabs and claws and lurches for it the higher they hold it until the wretched victim would have to get on a pair of stilts to find the armhole. The proper way? Why, hold the coat so that the armholes are as low down as the man's waist, taking care to keep the skirt of the garment off the floor, of course. If there is any struggle to find the last armhole, drop it still lower. Never raise it. Drop it until his hand slips into it naturally.

May be Secretary of the Treasury.

HENRY A. MORGENTHAU.

It has been reported that Henry Morgenthau, the New York real estate man, will be appointed secretary of the Treasury in the Wilson cabinet. Mr. Morgenthau is head of the Henry Morgenthau Company and had charge of the financial end of Mr. Wilson's campaign.

DISEASE CAUSE OF CRIME IS THE LATEST SCIENTIFIC BELIEF

New York Officials to Study Ailments of All Prison Inmates.

Many Cases Found Showing Physical Faults Lead to Criminal Acts.

DR. WILLIAM MARTIN RICHARDS, New York city, is convinced from observation that back of many crimes is some physical defect. He does not consider crime a disease, but he believes that disease often leads to crime, and he has persuaded Superintendent of Prisons Scott and the wardens of the New York state prisons that this view is correct.

Hereafter every man or woman not under death sentence who enters Auburn, Clinton, Sing Sing and Great Meadow prisons, the Matteawan and Dannemora state hospitals, the State Farm For Women, the State Prison For Women and the bureau of identification is going to have his or her eyes, nose, ears, teeth, feet, organs and habits thoroughly examined. If anything is found the matter medical treatment will be given. Glasses are to be supplied for defective sight. The convicts are beginning to manufacture a special shoe for the flat footed among them. Men addicted to drink will be put through a cure. This sounds like merely common sense, but nevertheless it is an innovation.

Fundamental Cause.

"I believe the fundamental cause of crime," said Dr. Richards, "to be no disease, but poverty. Poor people, as a rule, do not possess a great amount of moral stamina. If physical disability comes that makes earning a living harder they are likely to drift into idleness and from idleness into crime. Every physical advantage should be given them to make honesty and industry as easy as possible.

"Take the case of a man in the Iowa state prison who was serving his third sentence for assault with intent to kill. The warden noticed a discharge from one of his ears. The man said he had had it ever since he was a child; that the pain made him irritable, furious at times, and then he was apt to break out into violent actions. His ear was treated and cured. He went into the plumbing business, and for the past four years he has behaved normally and earned $3.50 a day. Before that he never was out of prison for more than a couple of months at a stretch.

The Better Way.

"John Clarke, a house painter, is today serving his third sentence in Sing Sing for burglary. His present term is for seven years. While sober he always has been a perfectly honest man. He drinks to excess, and as soon as he reaches a certain stage of intoxication he steals a barrel of tar and rolls it down the street until a policeman arrests him. There is nothing calculating or mean or essentially dishonest in that. It is merely a drunken freak. If an audience saw a man doing that in a musical comedy probably it would laugh. In real life society finds the man guilty of larceny and puts him in prison. How much better for C[illegible] and the state it would have bee[illegible] have given him, as soon as he en[illegible]d Sing Sing for the first time; physical help to stay sober!

"William Evers, who guarded 'Murderers' row' down in the Tombs for twenty-five years—he's chief guard of the workhouse on Blackwell's now—said to me once: 'I've been dealing with criminals for twenty-nine years. Probably I have seen more murderers than any man in the country, and I have never seen a criminal who did not have some physical defect, which, in my opinion, was the cause of his being where he was.'"

New Departure.

After this, however, if it is a physical defect which has led a man into a New York prison he is expected to come out a good citizen.

One of the first things the examining physicians will do is to test the convict's lungs for tuberculosis symptoms, then for malarial symptoms and for drinking habits. If he has any of these he will be given a prescribed cure.

Dr Alexander Lampert of Bellevue hospital publishes a formula which, he says, will obliterate any craving for narcotics. Dr. Richards said that Dr. Lampert had used this formula for ten years and that he had been successful in 80 per cent of his cases.

The resident physician is instructed to find out if the convict has ever worked near lead or mercury or arsenic so that he might be poisoned by them. He is to be stripped and his skin examined, also his joints, his spine, his hips. While stripped he must walk across the floor, and the doctor looks for evidence of flat foot. Dr. Richards has found that many drift into crime from the discomfort caused by such occupations as require the continual standing positions.

The convict's eyes, nose, ears, heart and abdomen are to be examined.

One Cause of Laziness.

"Most convicts have bad teeth," reads the typewritten form now given to the resident physician of each penal institution. "Impacted teeth—i. e., one tooth coming in at right angles to another tooth—are one cause of neurasthenia and insanity, which is very common among criminals. Find out if every tooth which should be in the individual's head is accounted for. If some of them are missing take an X ray picture of the jaw and see if you can find impacted teeth imbedded in it. Extraction of these will very frequently cure your patient. Have all teeth properly cleansed, and fill all which need filling. The poisons produced by diseased teeth cause laziness."

SANTO DOMINGO A PARADISE ON EARTH, SAYS AMERICAN

SANTO DOMINGO is an earthly paradise—if you have capital—according to S. R. Ginsberg, Yale graduate and chief engineer of construction for a large sugar concern which is developing 80,000 acres of land into a sugar cane plantation. Mr Ginsberg has just returned to New York from Domingo City via Porto Rico.

"With a million dollars capital you might get a very fair start," he said, "but it takes three to five millions to get a really large sugar plantation started, because the cultivation of sugar does not pay on a small scale, but yields very large returns on a large scale of operation. We are clearing a tract of virgin forest forty miles long and are building twenty five miles of standard gauge railroad. That may give you some idea of the magnitude of operations down there.

"The Americans are developing the land, while the Germans are strongly intrenched in banking and commerce. There are practically no Americans in either of these lines.

Land Is Cheap.

"Land may be bought for $8 to $10 an acre, while in Porto Rico it costs $200, but the main expense is the cost of clearing and preparing the virgin forest soil. The first year's expense for preparing land for growing sugar cane is about $50 an acre, but there are practically no expenses thereafter for the next twenty-five years, as the virgin land does not need to be plowed more than once in a quarter century, in contrast with Porto Rico, where the soil has been cultivated so long that they have to use steam plows costing from $20,000 to $35,000.

"We use only picks. A man makes a hole in the ground and sticks a joint of sugar cane in just as you plant an eye of a potato. That's all there is to it.

"The labor problem is an interesting one. To be able to speak to laborers on a plantation one must have a working knowledge of at least four languages—English, Spanish, French and Dutch. The laborers are imported generally from the British West Indies, the French West Indies, such as Guadaloupe and Martinique, from Curacao and Dutch Guiana. On the south side, where labor is in great demand, they get from 50 to 70 cents a day as a maximum.

"Under the law of Santo Domingo a man becomes of age at eighteen or when he gets married. Even if he is only twelve years old on entering the bonds of matrimony he automatically becomes a 'man.' The reason for this curious law is to have the greatest possible number of 'ablebodied' men of age, in case of revolutions, which, by the way, are one continuous vaudeville performance.

Wild Animals a Danger.

"The greatest source of danger in the jungle-like forests are boars and pigs, which run wild in the woods. I have been forced to climb a tree many a time by them. They can't climb after you, and that's the only safe course to take if you haven't got a gun handy.

"There are plenty of snakes, too, scions of the boa constrictor family, but they are quite harmless, almost kittenish. I've killed them ten or twelve feet long in the woods.

"There are parrots—parrots everywhere—and, besides the aesthetic satisfaction derived from their beautiful plumage, they are highly edible and make a most delicious parrot potpie, relished not only by the natives, but by foreign gourmets as well. And there are shoals of gorgeously plumed singing birds, which offer an unlimited supply for Easter bonnets."

DIVIDED SKIRTS FASHION FORECAST.

New York, Feb. 8.—Women of the east and west may be divided this year in the matter of skirts, according to reports emanating from the National Ladies' Tailors' and Dressmakers' Association convention in session here. New York tailors, it is declared, are determined upon making women's skirts at lease six inches smaller around the bottom than worn last year, while California delegates have swung the other way and advocated that skirts be 2¼ yards wide at the bottom. While at odds on skirts it is said that the women of both sections will wear coats of a shorter and more mannish cut.

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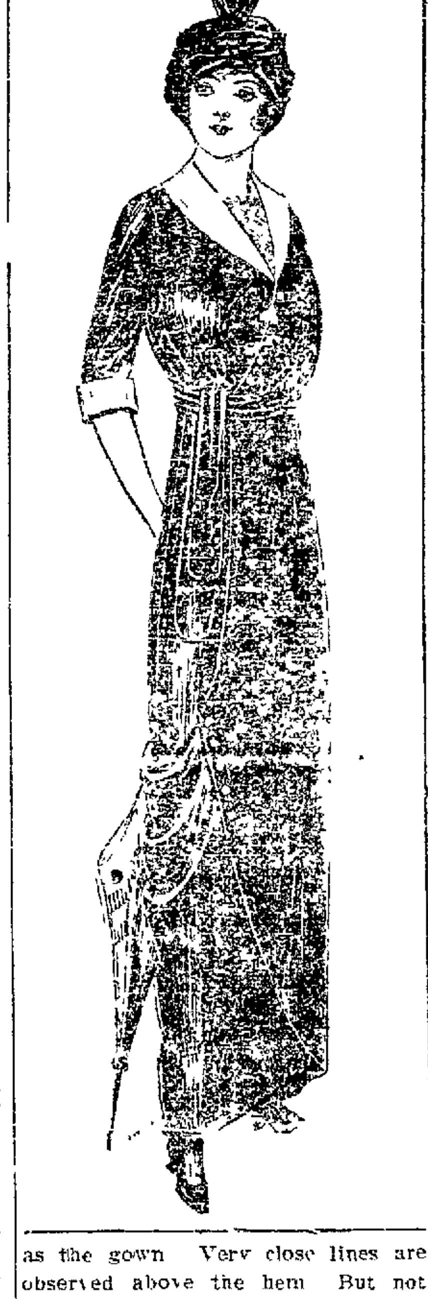
BLACK AND WHITE FOR STAPLE COSTUMES

New York, Feb 8.—Black and white, in varied combinations, have been the prevailing colors of the winter. These will continue in first fashion until spring has fully arrived and the jacket is discarded. Women who are ordering gowns now for the half-summer climate of the south are having a quantity of white frocks made in flannel, cotton corduroy, voile, crepe and seersucker. These make charming gowns, but not one of these women, who from long custom know the requirements of fashion for these Southern resorts as thoroughly as the society man knows the latest cut of evening coats, would deem her wardrobe complete without one or more handsome black gowns to give the needful variety. For the black gown many and varied materials are to be had this season. Charmeuse and liberty satin, taffeta and crepe de chine, are all admirably suited to its purpose. Another material, and one which has gained much popularity, is crepe meteor. This fabric has the sheen of satin and the softness and flexibility of crepe de chine, qualities well adapted to the drapery which the present mode of development demands. Very attractive is the gown pictured here. It was developed in black crepe meteor, of a light-weight texture. The trimming of white satin contrasts prettily with the material of the gown. White shadow lace was used for the yoke. Folds of drapery caught at the side-front and side-back which falls in two ends at the side is made of the same material



as the gown. Very close lines are observed above the hem. But not all of us are fortunate enough to go South for a mid-winter outing. With the vast majority the grind of life goes on throughout the season. If we but knew it, the stay-at-homes are really those who need the new frocks, for it is surprising how much of added interest to life a new gown affords, and that suspended from just such a frail thread as this hangs a good deal of the happiness of existence. For the home-keeping class of women no more appropriate or handsome gown than the one illustrated and described could be chosen. Its color renders it inconspicuous for those who have few gowns. It may appear again and again among the same assemblage of people and attract no further notice than that the effect was pleasing, and the wearer well gowned. It can readily be rendered suitable for evening by the addition of shoulder decoration, a new feature of dress which rivals the decollete. This is a large collar of white or ecru lace made over a lining of black net, which in turn has a foundation of flesh colored chiffon. The net falls from the collar over the arms and forms a diaphanous angle sleeve very chic and pleasing. This is considered smart for theatre and public dining room wear, where the low-cut gown is a little too elaborate.

A charming jacket for wear with a gown of this style may be fashioned on either Russian blouse lines with which every one is now familiar, or on those of the new bolero. This jacket has slightly bloused effect at the side and front with fulness confined by a crushed girdle of the same material which is boned to give the necessary curves. The back is in one piece from neck to hem, and extends in cutaway lines midway between the back waistline and the knees. This garment may be made of different material and color from the rest of the gown. Developed in satin, either black, purple dahlia, or Gobelin blue, it is very attractive.

The gown fashioned for early spring use is frequently made to do duty at intervals during the summer. What to have that will answer this double purpose is the problem. One who purchases any of the new bordered materials, whether challie, dimity, voile, crepe or agaric, makes no mistake, for these are the fabrics which take the lead for the coming season. Cotton plushes, too, are most charming. They come in all-over brocades, but their most striking use is in the bordered webs. It

is not surprising that one will forget one's manners and stare when a charming gown made of the sheerest of voile or crepe is seen with a ten-inch border of plush brocade every thread of which is cotton. These are the high novelties of the season. Occasionally the border of plain plush may be seen, again it appears in stripes, seven or eight of which constitute the border. The borders of agaric and other fabrics may be composed of small colored sprays of flowers, or they have a hand-painted border of many colored flowers adjoining a deep band of coarse filet net, then a strip of material in a mustard-color, a shade different from every other detail of the fabric.

For the woman whose purse is deep enough to permit of her harmonizing all the features of her costume it is a pretty conceit to have the parasol follow the color scheme of the gown. With a gown having a Persian border, a parasol in these shades may be used, but if carried into the hat the tone may lack harmony and become monotonous unless in the event of black and white, when absolute uniformity is not only permissible but very effective.

Of the new fabrics none has so speedily met with the popularity won by agaric. The dress of the second figure was made of this material in a black-and-white stripe. The large square-cut collar of the bodice, attractive decoration of the front closing, and the sash ends appearing from the opening of the skirt are of soft black satin. The skirt has the fashionable gathers at the waistline in the back, but this fulness may be laid in tucks, if preferred.

The hat of black and white is fashioned on new lines. The close-fitting hat, while it made an effective frame for the face, had little to recommend it in a rear view. Hats of recent design are tilted forward over the eye brow. While completely covering the brow and obscuring a view of the hair they do not conceal the curve of the head and neck at the back [illegible] of all lines of feminine beauty.

PLANS TO RESEAT CASTRO.

Rumors Rife in Havana of New Venezuela Plot.

Rumors are thick at Havana, Cuba, that a revolutionary expedition is being planned against Venezuela for the purpose of reseating Castro, but it is impossible to learn the details, as the plans are carefully guarded. Professional revolutionists from the United States are arriving in Havana constantly, together with those of other countries. It is said that the expedition forming here will act jointly with another one from the lumber camps of Alabama.

It is said that Lieutenant Colonel Fredericks, former chief of artillery under the famous Maximo Gomez, was asked to take command of an artillery corps, whose destination was not stated. Fredericks refused recently to confirm or deny the report.

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LEGAL NOTICE.

Case No. 15263. Josie Ganshaw, Plaintiff, vs. Minerva Ganshaw and Frederic Ganshaw, defendants.

Minerva Ganshaw, whose last place of residence was Delphos, Ohio, but whose present place of residence is unknown to the plaintiff, will take notice that Josie Ganshaw filed in the above entitled action in the Court of Common Pleas of Allen County Ohio, her petition, therein praying that the said defendant, Minerva Ganshaw, be compelled to show such interest as she may have in and to the following described premises, situated in the village of Delphos, County of Allen, State of Ohio, and described as follows, to-wit:

Being in-lot Number Four Hundred and Eight (408) in said Village of Delphos.

Plaintiff further prays that any claim which Minerva Ganshaw may seem to have in and to the above described premises be adjudged null and void, and that plaintiff's title be quieted against said Minerva Ganshaw, and that said Minerva Ganshaw answer the allegation of the petition filed herein on or before the 15th day of March, A. D. 1913, and in default thereof that judgment be entered against her in accordance with the prayer of said petition.

JOSIE GANSHAW.

By T. R. Hamilton, Her Att'y.

Dated January 17, 1913.

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LEGAL NOTICE.

In the court of common pleas of Allen County, Ohio. Eva Andre, plaintiff, vs. Treffia Andre, defendant. Case No. 15355.

Treffia Andre, whose place of residence is to this plaintiff and the court unknown, will take notice that on the eleventh day of January, 1913, Eva Andre commenced a proceeding in the Court of Common Pleas of said county and state, in which the said Treffia Andre is defendant, praying for a divorce from the defendant on the grounds of gross neglect of duty, extreme cruelty and habitual drunkenness; for the restoration of her maiden name; and for such other relief as she may be entitled to. The defendant is required to answer hereto on or before the 22nd day of February, 1913.

ARMSTRONG, LIGHT & SHAPPELL,
Attorneys for Plaintiff.

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SHERIFF'S SALE.

Case No. 15174. Ex Doc. 13. Page 15174

Arbella Knapp Vogelgesang, plaintiff, vs. Benton Gregg, et al., defendant.

Allen Common Pleas.

By virtue of writ of sale, issued from the Court of Common Pleas, of Allen County Ohio, to me directed, I will offer for sale at the east door of the Court House, in Lima, Allen County, Ohio, on Saturday, the 15th day of February, 1913, between the hours of 10 o'clock and 11 o'clock a. m., the following described lands and tenements, situated in Ottawa Township Allen County, State of Ohio, and described as follows, to-wit:

Eighteen (18) feet in width off of the entire north side of in-lot number 6109, in Randolph Gregg's Addition to the City of Lima Allen County, Ohio. Appraised at Forty Five ($45.00) Dollars.

In-lot Number Sixty-One Hundred and Ten (6110) in Randolph Gregg's Addition to said City of Lima, Allen County, Ohio. Appraised at One Hundred and Twenty-five ($125.00) Dollars.

In-lot Number Sixty-One Hundred and Eleven (6111), in Randolph Gregg's Addition, to said City of Lima, Allen County, Ohio. Appraised at Ninety ($90.00) Dollars.

In-lot Number Sixty-One Hundred and Twelve (6112), in Randolph Gregg's Addition to said City of Lima, Allen County, Ohio. Appraised at Eighty ($80.00) Dollars.

In-lot Number Sixty-One Hundred and Fourteen (6114), in Randolph Gregg's Addition to said City of Lima, Allen County, Ohio. Appraised at One Hundred and Twenty Five ($125.00) Dollars.

Terms of Sale: To be sold at Public Auction at not less than two-thirds (2-3) of the appraised value, at the door of the Court House, in said City of Lima. Cash on day of sale.

F. MARION WATT,
Sheriff Allen County, Ohio.

Lima, Ohio, January 7th, 1913.
LIPPINCOTT & LIPPINCOTT,
Plaintiff's Attorneys.

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NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

Estate of Levi Snyder deceased

Mary A. Snyder has been appointed and qualified as administratrix of the estate of Levi Snyder, late of Allen county, Ohio, deceased.

Dated this 31st day of January A. D. 1913.

JOHN N. HUTCHISON,
Probate Judge, Allen County, Ohio.

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NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

Estate of A. Y. McGinnis, deceased

Viletta McGinnis has been appointed and qualified as Administratrix of the estate of A. Y. McGinnis, late of Allen county, Ohio, deceased.

Dated this 23rd day of January, A. D. 1913.

JOHN N. HUTCHISON,
Probate Judge, Allen county, Ohio
Lippincott and Lippincott, Attys. for Admrx jan 24 fr-sat-3wk

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

Estate of William C McPheron, deceased John W. McPheron and John A Lippincott have been appointed and qualified as executors of the estate of William C. McPheron, late of Allen county, Ohio, deceased

Dated this twenty-first day of January, A. D., 1913.

JOHN N. HUTCHISON,
Probate Judge, Allen County, Ohio.
T. R. HAMILTON,
Attorney for Executors.

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NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

Notice to the public is hereby given of the dissolution of the firm of Sontag & Clevenger, sheet metal workers and tinners, 205-207 N. Union street. The business will be continued at the old stand by A. M. Sontag W. L. Clevenger having retired from the firm. All accounts owed by the old firm and owing to the old firm will be taken care of by the undersigned. All persons knowing themselves indebted to Sontag & Clevenger are requested to make immediate settlement.

A. M. SONTAG.

Lima, Ohio, Feb. 5, 1913.
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NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

Estate of Madison L. Bowyer, deceased James Leech has been appointed and qualified as Administrator with the will annexed of the estate of Madison L Bowyer, late of Allen county, Ohio, deceased.

Dated this 17th day of January A. D. 1913.

JOHN N. HUTCHISON,
Probate Judge, Allen County, Ohio.
T. R. HAMILTON,
Attorney for Administrator.

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PROBATE NOTICE.

The State of Ohio, Allen County, ss.

To Whom It May Concern:—Notice is hereby given that accounts and vouchers have been filed in the office of the Probate Judge by Executors of the wills of the following deceased persons:

9890, First, final and distributive account of Joseph Potter, as executor of the estate of Abigail Potter, deceased.

10202, First partial account of Margaret, Edward and William Odenweller, executors of the estate of E. L. Odenweller, deceased.

10473, First and final account of Fred C. Becker, executor of the estate of George D. Kanawl, deceased.

10664, Second and final account of Charles Goble, as executor of the estate of George W. Goble, deceased.

10689, First and final account of Jacob D. Brenneman and Christian H. Mosier as executors of the estate of John L. Brenneman, deceased.

10872, First and final account of Charles A. Eherenman, executor of Isaac Eherenman, deceased.

And by Administrators of the following estates:

7539, First and final account of Arvel W. Swick, administrator with the will annexed of the estate of William C. Swick, deceased.

10423, First and final account of John J. McAuliffe as administrator of the estate of Jeremiah McAuliffe, deceased.

10550, First and final account of John R. Williams and Frank W. Jones, administrators de bonis with the will annexed of the estate of Gwillim Williams, deceased.

10714, First and final account of Charles Badman as administrator of the estate of Steward H. Badman, deceased.

10720, First and final account of Clifton S. Carl as administrator of the estate of Courtland Carl, deceased.

10756, First, final and distributive account of Ada E. Foulks, administratrix of the estate of Sarah M. Curtis, deceased.

10893, First and final account of Emma Jane Kline, administratrix of the estate of Charles Clinton Kline, deceased.

10921, First and final account of F. J. Helmkamp as administrator of the estate of Theodore S. Helmkamp, deceased.

10957, First and final account of John W. McPheron and Orpha B Ditzler, administrators of the estate of William C. McPheron, deceased

And by Guardians of the following persons:

4383, Ninth and final account of Dot F. Horn, as guardian of Howard F. Horn, a minor.

4245, Seventh current account of James D. Palmer as guardian of Catherine L. Weller, an insane person.

5141, Fourth current account of William O. Wallace as guardian of William M. Wallace, a minor.

8084, Fourth current account of Jacob A. Roeder as guardian of Alma Snyder, a minor.

9029, Second current account of Anna Neuenschwander as guardian of Clara Burket et al., minors.

9660, Third current account of Joseph F. Loyer as guardian of Elijah DeLong, an imbecile.

9692, Second current account of Emanuel Waltz as guardian of Claude Waltz, a minor.

9698, Third current account of William B. Heffner as guardian of George C. Heffner, insane.

9868, Second current account of John W. Strayer as guardian of Rosa D. Strayer, a minor.

10189, First and final account of Margaret Odenweller as guardian of Leo A., Louis M. and Arnold O Odenweller, minors.

10222, Second current account of Rufus A. Kerr as guardian of James L Smith.

10275, First current account of Christopher J. McCune as guardian of Donovan J. McCune, a minor.

10469, Second and final account of John Red as guardian of Curtis Leist, a minor.

10469, Second and final account of John W. Red as guardian of Ernest, Elias, Perry, John and Paul Leist, minors.

10968, First and final account of R. R. Zurmehly as guardian of Villa and Leo Breese, minors.

And by

10637, First partial account of J. R. Johnson as assignee for the benefit of the creditors of Thomas C. Hogan, insolvent.

And by:

9741, Second and final account of Arnold B. King as trustee of Clarence Runser, a minor.

All persons interested in said accounts or trusts in any way whatever, will take notice that the same have been set for hearing on Monday, March 3rd, 1913, at 10 o'clock, a. m., at or before which time exceptions may be filed to any of said accounts and the same will be heard at that time or at such other time as the court may designate.

JOHN N. HUTCHISON,
Probate Judge.

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SHERIFF'S SALE.

Case No. 15093.
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Detrick W. Waldmann, Plaintiff, vs. Ida Waldmann, Defendant. Allen Common Pleas.

By virtue of Vendi Exponas, issued from the court of common pleas of Allen county, Ohio, and to me directed, I will offer for sale at the east door of the court house, in Lima, Allen county, Ohio, on

Saturday the 15th day of March

Between the hours of 10 o'clock and 12 o'clock a. m., the following described lands and tenements, situated in Lima, Allen county, state of Ohio, and described as follows, to-wit:

Inlot number twenty-eight hundred and eighty-four (2884), located on Forest avenue, between Second and Third streets, on the east side of the street in the city of Lima.

Appraised at $500.00.

Terms of Sale: Cash.

F. MARION WATT,
Sheriff, Allen County, Ohio.

Lima, Ohio, February 8, 1913.

T. R. HAMILTON, Plaintiff's Attorney.

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Eggs, doz.	23c
Young Chickens, lb.	13c
Old Chickens, lb.	10c
Ducks, lb.	12c
Turkeys, lb.	18@20c
Geese, lb.	12c
Potatoes, bu.	45c
Apples, bu.	75c@$1.00
Turnips, bu.	40c
Onions, bu.	60c

RETAIL GROCERIES.

Country Butter, lb.	35c
Creamery Butter, per lb.	40c
Lard, lb.	15c
Eggs, doz.	25c
Young Chickens, lb.	15c
Old Chickens, lb.	12½c
Ducks, lb.	15c
Turkeys, lb.	20c
Geese, lb.	15c
Potatoes, bu.	60c
Apples, bu.	$1.20
Turnips, bu.	60c
Onions, bu.	$1.00

LOCAL GRAIN MARKET.

Wheat, bu.	$1.10
Corn, per cwt.	70c
Oats, bu.	30c
Timothy Seed, bu.	$1.00
Rye, bu.	55c
Red Clover Seed, bu.	$9.00
Alsike, bu.	$10.00

HAY MARKET.

No. 1 Timothy, baled, ton	$14.00
No. 1 Timothy, bulk, ton	$12.00
No. 1 Mixed, baled, ton	$13.00
No. 1 Mixed, bulk, ton	$11.00
No. 1 Clover, baled ton	$12.00
No. 1 Clover, bulk, ton	$10.00

LIVE STOCK.

Good Steers, 1400 to 1200 lbs.	6½@7c
Fair Steers, 900 to 1000 lbs.	5½@6c
Heifers	4½ to 6½c
Calves	7 to 7¾c
Bulls	4¾ to 5¾c
Cows	2½ to 4½c
Sheep	3@5c
Lambs	5½@7c
Hogs, heavy	4c
Hogs, Medium	6½ to 7c
Hogs, Rough	5 to 6½c

NOTICE TO LOT OR LAND OWNERS AND CORPORATIONS.

Auditor's Office, Allen Co., O.
January 24, 1913.

In the matter of the Ditch Improvement Petitioned for by Jennie McDorman.

To the lot or land owners and to the corporations, either public or private, affected by said improvement

You, and each of you, are hereby notified that on the 22nd day of January, 1913, Jennie McDorman filed a petition with the Auditor of Allen County, Ohio, the prayer of which is for the location and construction of a ditch on the following starting point, route and terminus, to-wit:

Commencing on the south side of the Cridersville Road about Three Hundred and Fifty (350) feet west of its intersection with the St. Johns Road in section Thirty-One (31), Township Four (4) south, of Range Seven (7) East, thence south about Eighty (80) rods, thence in a Southeasterly direction through sections Thirty-One (31) and Thirty-Two (32) same Township and Range to the Auglaize River and there terminate.

The above proposed improvement is to be filed throughout its course.

You are also notified that the following time and place have been fixed when and where the Commissioners of said County will meet for the hearing of said petition, to wit:

WEDNESDAY, February 19, 1913, at 10 o'clock a. m., at the place of beginning above described for the purpose of hearing any and all proof offered by any of the parties affected by said proposed improvement, whether the said ditch will be conducive to the public health, convenience and welfare, and whether the route described is the best route, and any and all objections to said proposed ditch

Any application for compensation or damage for any change in route, must be in writing and filed with the Commissioners on or before the day set for hearing.

The names of all persons and corporations, either public or private, who in the opinion of the petitioners are in any way affected or benefited thereby are as follows: C. J. Imler, George Hardin, Clara Boop, Margaret Buck, Robert Ludwig, Silas Cirey, Martha Sibert, Jennie McDorman, Daniel Bice, Winfield Scott, Byron Hale (heirs), W. C. McElroy, P. M. and J. D. Rousculp, Wm. Spence, R. E. Smith, J. L. Ludwig, Lillie Hardin, Guilford Hardin, The D., T. & I. R. R. Co., Perry Township, Allen County, Eva Barker, and Catherine Stephenson.

J. W. DOUGLASS,
Auditor of Allen Co., O.

JENNIE McDORMAN,
Petitioner.

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SHERIFF'S SALE.

Case No. 15235.
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Carrie B. Andrews, Plaintiff, vs Nicholas P Fankhouser, et al., Defendant. Allen Common Pleas.

By virtue of order of sale, issued from the court of common pleas, of Allen county, Ohio, and to me directed, I will offer for sale at the east door of the court house, in Lima, Allen county, Ohio, on

Saturday the 15th day of March

Between the hours of 10 o'clock and 12 o'clock a. m., the following described lands and tenements, situated in Lima, Allen county, state of Ohio, and described as follows, to-wit:

Inlot number six thousand seven hundred and sixty-five (6765), appraised at $225.00; six thousand seven hundred and eighty-eight (6788), appraised at $250.00; six thousand and eight hundred (6800), appraised at $175.00; six thousand eight hundred and five (6805), appraised at $150.00; six thousand eight hundred and nine (6809), appraised at $175.00; six thousand eight hundred and fifteen (6815), appraised at $175.00; six thousand eight hundred and eighteen (6818), appraised at $200.00, six thousand eight hundred and twenty-eight (6828), appraised at $275.00; six thousand eight hundred and thirty-two (6832), appraised at $200.00; six thousand eight hundred and thirty-four (6834), appraised at $225.00; six thousand eight hundred and thirty-five (6835), appraised at $200.00; six thousand eight hundred and thirty-eight (6838), appraised at $150.00; six thousand eight hundred and forty (6840), appraised at $150.00; six thousand eight hundred and forty-three (6843) appraised at $150.00; six thousand eight hundred and forty-five (6845), appraised at $150.00; six thousand seven hundred and seventy-seven (6777), appraised at $250.00, all in Park Side Addition to the City of Lima, Allen county, Ohio, together with the privileges and appurtenances to the same belonging.

Total appraisement, $3,100.00.

Terms of sale: Cash.

F. MARION WATT,
Sheriff, Allen County, Ohio

Lima, Ohio, February 8, 1913.

L. C. FEIGHNER, Plaintiff's Attorney.

THE CROSS AND THE CRESCENT

A Story of the Balkan War

By F. A. MITCHEL

When the war between the Balkan states and the Turks broke out it placed Arthur Andrews, an American living in Servia, in a condition calculated to drive him mad. A few years before, having come of age and inheriting a fortune, he went abroad to travel for pleasure. The Balkan peninsula attracted him owing to its rugged scenery the gay costumes of its people and its general oriental appearance

The inhabitants of Turkey in Europe are a mixture of the white and Turkish races, Christians and Mohammedans. Andrews was at an impressible, reckless age, an age to fall violently in love and, being in love, not to consider the consequences of an ill assorted marriage. A young Turkish girl to whom he was introduced carried him clean off his feet and he became so violently in love with her that, throwing caution to the winds he begged her to marry him.

The lady, Zaide, the daughter of a pasha, born in the highest Turkish circles, did not consider Andrews her social equal, but her heart was enlisted as well as his own, and she consented that he should ask her father for her hand. The pasha, being an admirer of western civilization, looked favorably on his suit and at last consented, provided he would embrace the faith of Islam. The young man declared that he would embrace any faith on the face of the globe if he might be permitted to embrace the pasha's daughter. The marriage was celebrated, and the groom, realizing that his and his wife's religion would be out of place in America, remained in Turkey

Andrews' Mohammedism, being skin deep, wore off with the first freshness of love. Indeed, the more he saw of the Turks the deeper he sympathized with those who would be glad to see the crescent driven back into Asia, from which it had emerged many centuries before to make its European conquests. Born a Christian, it galled him that the Turks should occupy Christian ground, that their capital should have been founded by the first Christian Roman emperor or that the church of St. Sophia should be a mosque

When the Montenegrins, in order to forestall an order from the powers, broke sword in hand, into Turkish territory and Servia was preparing to do her part in the war, a crisis came in the affairs of Andrews and his wife. Her father was not only devoted to the cause of Islam, but was an officer high in the service of the sultan. The young wife declared that she would stand by her father, her countrymen and her religion. Andrews asserted that he would join the Servian forces and aid in banishing the crescent to Asia, where it belonged. They parted, though their hearts were welded agreeing that after the struggle they would fly again to each other.

During those first few weeks when the allied forces were winning victory after victory and driving their enemy before them there were some temporary setbacks to the allies. In one of these Andrews, who commanded a squadron of cavalry in the Servian army, was wounded and captured. He and those taken with him were hurried to the rear to a reserve corps which it happened was under the command of Rustom Pasha, his father-in-law.

Zaide, who was a woman of strong character, had while living with her husband become much interested in many European institutions, among others the Red Cross. She had no sooner joined her father than she proceeded to organize a similar corps as an auxiliary to her father's command. One day upon passing hurriedly down between two rows of cots in a hospital her eye fell upon a face which notwithstanding its pallor she recognized at once as her husband. She was about to fly to his embrace when the horror of the situation rushed upon her. Andrews had professed to be a disciple of Mohammed and had drawn his sword against the prophet. So long as he was unrecognized as a Mohammedan he would be treated as a prisoner of war, but if he were known to be or have been of the faith nothing could save him

The glances of the two met, and the same thought occurred to both. There was a momentary lighting of each pair of eyes. Then the wife withdrew hers and she passed on down the aisle and left the room.

The hospital, though in the Turkish rear, was not considered permanent, for the allies were pressing forward, fighting like tigers. But for one day and night the sick were undisturbed. During the evening Mrs. Andrews, though worn out with the distressing work of the day, went in among the sick, ostensibly to cheer them, but really to steal a brief interview with her husband. Taking the precaution to stop and speak with a number of sufferers before reaching the bed he occupied, she at last came to his and said in the Turkish tongue and a voice loud enough to be heard:

"Are you badly wounded, sir?"

"Only slightly," was the reassuring reply.

"Is there anything I can do for you?"

"Yes. During the night I am feverish and troubled with a burning thirst. If you can send about midnight some water I shall be grateful."

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8 room modern house, everything up-to-date. Large lot, fine location 319 N. Jameson avenue—reasonable terms. $4,000.

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$100.00 down—good 6 room cottage nearly new, nice lot, fruit, south Main street—Orchard Hill addition—1st house south of Fourth street—east side of street. $1750

7 room good house, three fourth acre of ground; young fruit; will exchange for property in south eastern part of city. $1,500.

5 room partly modern, new house on Ottawa street—near McDonald $1,500.

8 room house, good condition, large lot, fruit, 923 St Johns. Reasonable terms, $2,100.

7 room modern house, fine condition, lot 50x209—paved street—new barn—will exchange for smaller property or vacant lot—511 east North. $3,000.

8 room good house, partly modern, two large lots, fruit, small barn. 713 east Findlay street—reasonable terms $2,500

12 room double house, fine condition modern except furnace, barn fruit, lot 55x200—rents for $29.00 per month—722 south Elizabeth. $3,200.

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5 room house and acre of ground—very fine gardening or raising poultry nice fruit—located near Lima College building—this is a bargain—might exchange for good residence property closer up town.

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NORTH BOUND.

No 8 Daily	2.15 a. m.
No 2 Daily	7.10 a. m.
No 6 Daily	12:00 noon
No. 4 Daily	4.39 p. m.
No. 10 Daily, runs to Lima only	9 20 p. m

SOUTH BOUND

No. 7 Daily	2 55 a. m
No 11 Daily	5 25 a. m.
No 1 Daily	8 50 a. m.
No. 5 Daily	12:15 p m.
No. 3 Daily	3 55 p. m

L. E. & W. R. R.

EAST BOUND

No. 18 Daily Ex. Sunday	6:50 a. m
No 4 Daily Ex. Sunday	12 40 p. m.
No. 2 Daily	5:35 p. m

WEST BOUND

No 1 Daily	9:25 a. m
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D., T. & I. R. R.

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No. 2	12:05 p. m.

SOUTH BOUND.

No. 1	3:35 p. m

Both daily except Sunday

P., F. W. & C. R. R.

EAST BOUND

*No 24	1:14 a m.
*No. 26	1 25 a. m.
*No. 6	7:06 a. m.
*No 18	8:25 a. m.
*No. 16	1:27 a. m.
xNo. 52	1:56 p. m.
No. 22 All Pullman	3:22 p m.
*No. 8	9 30 p. m.
*No . 2	10:29 p. m

WEST BOUND

*No. 25	2:02 a m
xNo 29	9:15 a. m.
*No. 23	8:57 a. m.
*No. 21	10:30 a. m.
*No. 9	2:39 p. m.
*No. 19	2:52 p. m.
*No. 11	7:01 p. m.

*—Daily.
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(Dec. 8, 1912)

EAST BOUND.

No. 8 Daily, N. Y. Ex.	5:43 a. m.
No. 232 Daily Ex. Sunday	8.00 a. m.
No. 226 Daily Ex Sunday	3:15 p. m.
No. 4 Daily, N. Y. Lim	6:00 p. m

WEST BOUND.

No 7 Daily Chicago Ex.	1 40 a m.
No 227 Daily Ex Sunday	9 30 a. m
No 3 Daily Chicago Lim.	11.57 a m
No. 231 Daily Ex. Sunday	7.20 p. m.

WANT ADS

From the Point of News

¶Did **you** ever stop to consider how many people read the many items in the classified columns from a strictly news point of view?

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FOR SALE—100 improved southern Michigan farms, good soil, low prices and easy terms. No trades. Ask for catalog. The Harpster-Murray Co., Bellevue, Mich. *

FOR SALE—The Isaac Sawmiller farm, 40 acres, 2½ miles west of Lima on Allentown road. Well improved and underdrained Inquire of J. B. Sawmiller, Elida, O. Bell phone 37-K 5. 1-3

FOR SALE—9-room modern house with garage, on paved street. Paving all paid. At a bargain if sold soon. John A. Mohr. Room 15 Holmes block. 3t3 *

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PUBLIC SALE—4 miles south of Lima, of horses, cattle, sheep, farming implements, grain, hay, etc., Wednesday, February 12-13. Sale at 10 o'clock. George Danner. 1-6

FOR SALE—My residence property at 871 west Market street. Lot 63x206. 9 rooms aside from large closets, linen room, alcoves and bath. Toilets up stairs and down Full basement. All modern. Emerson W. Price. jan1tf

FOR SALE—20 new houses and bungalows in all parts of Lima—Prices $1,000 to $5,000. Cash or easy terms. If you want to buy a home, see us. Bell 'phone 963; New 'phone 1691, Home Builders. Holland building. aug27tf

FOR SALE—20 acres good land, fair buildings, on good road, close to church and school house, close to Lima. For information address "A. B" care of this office. 3t3*

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—A six room house on car line, modern, except furnace. Inquire at 773 Bellefontaine ave., Lima, Ohio. *

FOR RENT—4-room cottage with pantry. Inquire 561 W. Haller, or call Bell phone 1869. 3t3

FOR RENT—A six room house at 219 west Vine street. Water and gas. Inquire at 125 north West or New phone 1092 M feb1tf

FOR RENT—Buildings, boiler and engine suitable for manufacturing Plenty of yard room. 299 feet frontage on railroad. Fronts on two streets. Rental reasonable. Enquire of O. B. Selfridge at Times-Democrat. 9-6

MISCELLANEOUS

Dr. Eugene L. Tupper
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We have a large sum of money to loan on city property and improved farm lands at the VERY LOWEST RATE OF INTEREST with the privilege of paying part or all at any interest paying day. Persons wishing CHEAP MONEY and on SHORT NOTICE, will find it will be to their interest to call

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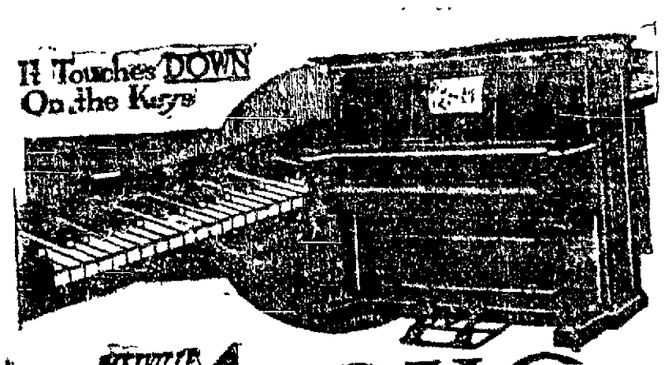

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WHITE STARS MET GERMANS

Game at Auditorium Last Night One of Finest of Season.

VISITORS' TEAM WORK IS ALMOST PERFECT.

Lima Team Made Excellent Showing at Eighteen to Thirty-eight.

In one of the cleverest games of basketball that has ever been seen on a Lima floor, the White Stars last evening went down to defeat at the hands of the Buffalo Germans From the blowing of the first whistle until the last minute of time had been played the Lima boys were up and after the fast professional team from western New York state, but at no time did their work place them on a par with the visitors.

The sensational feature of the game as it was played by the visitors was the certain manner in which they passed, always seeming to know before ever they looked, at just what position on the floor his teammates were located. Thus their passing was like the firing of a rapid fire gun, quick and sure.

The work of the Lima team was worth while. After the first few minutes they sailed in and made things warm for the visitors. One of the features of the game was the regularity with which one little forward of the Germans would drop the ball into the basket almost as soon as he would get his hands on it. This was so noticeable because it was the man that the fast Lima guard, O'Connor, would have been watching, had he not been at home sick in bed. His absence was a great blow to the Lima team, and they were lost without him. Baker, who filled his place, put up a very good game, being very aggressive, and not guarding closely. He landed one very pretty long shot from the middle of the floor "Red" and Harold were each excellent in their floor work, and covered the ball well, but were closely guarded and thus their scoring restricted.

The accuracy of the shooting of the Buffalo team was another feature, their long shots even being very true. Their center, Miller, had very little on Eddy in the jump, while Callahan outplayed his man.

The line-up:

Lima 18		Buffalo 38
M Bowman	(f)	Heart
H Bowman	(f)	Rhode
Eddy	(c)	Miller
Callahan	(g)	Luenborn
Baker	(g)	Faust

Points—Rhode, 12; Heart, 8; Miller, 8; Luenborn, 6; Faust, 4; R. Bowman, 7; Eddy, 4; Baker, 4; Callahan, 2; H. Bowman, 2.

Substitutions—Bueschor for Baker.

Official—Swan.

Here is a message of hope and good cheer from Mrs. C. J. Martin, Boone Mill, Va., who is the mother of eighteen children Mrs. Martin was cured of stomach trouble and constipation by Chamberlain's Tablets after five years of suffering, and now recommends these tablets to the public. Sold by all dealers.

LIMA DOOR OF HOPE JANUARY REPORT.

Girls sheltered, 9.
Children taken care of, 20.

Amt. received during month	$88 51
Amt paid out	$5.87
Balance in treasury	$ 2 64

The day nursery should have the sympathy of the public. If the good ladies of Lima would come to the Door of Hope, and take a look in the nursery at the innocent little ones, their hearts would be moved with compassion as the Saviour was, when He, though tired by a long journey took time to bless the little children It certainly would be a lesson to us. And as to the poor girls, I am sure we can again turn to the Saviour and hear Him say, "Let him that is without sin cast the first stone"

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F. E. Walling, a farmer living near Yukon, Mo., strongly recommends Foley's Honey & Tar Compound and says: "I have been advised by my family doctor to use Foley's Honey & Tar Compound for my children when there was a cough medicine needed. It always gives the best of satisfaction and I recommend it to others." Enterprise Drug Store.

W. R. C. NOTICE.

The W. R. C. will meet tomorrow at 10 o'clock at the corner of Kibby and Main street, at Butler's drug store to go in a body to Grace church to attend the memorial service. All members are requested to be present.

KATE SIBBLE, Secretary.

THE PERSON WHO IS WIDE AWAKE IS THE ONE WHO ADVERTISES IN THE TIMES-DEMOCRAT WANT COLUMN. tf

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BARKER ARRESTED ON OLD CHARGE.

Various Minor Offenders Arraigned Before the Mayor.

After having caused the arrest of John Sardesio, an Italian, for alleged assault, Dominico Surrago secured his release from the city prison by putting up bond for his appearance in police court this morning. Sardesio showed up at the appointed hour this morning, pleaded guilty to the charge, and was fined $5 and costs by Mayor Shook.

The two men became involved in an altercation on south Main street yesterday afternoon, and during the melee that followed, Surrago was badly beaten up, suffering a painful wound on the head. Sardesio also showed marks as the result of the encounter, and suffered the added ignomity of being locked up in jail. Surrago filed an affidavit against his assailant, who was arrested a little later by Patrolman Cole on north Jackson street.

In the Padded Cell.

Whitley's ambulance was called to the vicinity of the Uhlan Hotel on east Market street late yesterday afternoon to convey Dan Reider, who was suffering from an attack of delirium tremens, to the city prison. Reider was in bad shape, and a physician had to be summoned to attend him

He was a little better this morning, although he is still confined in the padded cell, where he is recovering from the effects of a long debauch.

An Old Charge.

Learning that J. N. Barker, against whom an affidavit charging disorderly conduct was filed last summer, was in town, Chief Earnst detailed an officer to arrest him and bring him to the station. Barker secured his release at once on $10 bond, which was declared forfeited by the mayor when he failed to appear for trial this morning.

Barker was charged with creating a disturbance at the Kimler saloon on south Main street, late last summer, but skipped town before the warrant for his arrest could be served.

Dagoes Fined.

The five dagoes arrested yesterday by Detective Riley of the Erie railroad, for stealing a hand car to carry them to McGuffey, a few weeks ago, pleaded guilty to the charge this morning, and were fined $1 and costs each All paid up, and were released.

Two Drunks.

Two plain drunks, John Leonard and Jack Tompson, were arraigned before the mayor this morning and assessed the minimum, fine $1 and costs each.

Conductor S. L. Miller, Norfolk, Nebr., on Boneville Division of the C. & N. W. Ry. Co., recommends Foley Kidney Pills and says: "I have used Foley Kidney Pills with very satisfactory results and endorse their use for any one afflicted with kidney trouble. They are all right." Enterprise Drug Store.

PUBLIC SHOULD WORRY.

Chicago, Feb. 8.—A statement issued yesterday by the American Railway Association shows that there were 62,045 surplus cars throughout the country on February 1, as compared with a surplus of 53,230 cars on January 15, last. There was a total shortage of 24,785 cars on February 1, as compared with a shortage of 24,791 cars on January 15.

THORGIANA: Our [illegible] says Gold Medal Flour only. VERONICA

For Sale by
Enterprise Drug Store

BALANCE IN THE TREASURY.

Past Year Was Most Successful in the History of the Lima Poultry Fanciers' Association.

According to the report of the auditing committee, which will be submitted at the annual meeting next Tuesday evening, the Lima Poultry Fanciers' Association will start the new year with a balance of $49 in the treasury. The financial success of the poultry show held in Lima made it possible for the Association to quit the year on the right side of the ledger, as about $25 back indebtedness was paid out of the receipts of the show in addition to the balance that remains in the treasury.

Officers for the coming year will be elected at the annual meeting, which will be held in the office of City Auditor Simpson. The present officers are, D. R. Cantleny, president; B. H. Simpson, vice president; Oliver Burgett, treasurer, and S. R. Miller secretary. The membership of the Association now numbers over 60, and the prospects for the coming year are most bright.

Are You a Cold Sufferer?

Take Dr. King's New Discovery. The Best Cough, Cold, Throat and Lung medicine made. Money refunded if it fails to cure you. Do not hesitate—take it, at our risk First dose helps. J. R. Wells, Floydada, Texas, writes "Dr. King's New Discovery cured my terrible cough and cold I gained 15 pounds." Buy it at H. F Vorhkamp's

MASONIC NOTICE.

A stated communication of Garrett Wykoff Lodge, No. 585, F. & A. M., will be held Monday evening, February 10th, 1913, at 7:30 o'clock

Work Entered Apprentice degree.

V. J SHEPARD, W. M.

AN EXPENSIVE STOMACH ACHE.

New York, Feb 8—A record expense to rid one's self of an appendix will probably be established by Mrs. Tomaso Dornello, the wife of a Peruvian millionaire, who has arrived here from South America on her way to Paris. Seeking to escape the fate of her sister, who died after an operation for appendicitis in this country, Mrs. Dornello has insisted upon making the trip from Peru to Paris to have a famous French specialist operate Making the trip with her family, two maids and a private physician,, she estimates that it will cost her $100,000 to get rid of her trouble some appendix. The party sails for Paris today.

TO GUARD SOULS OF SPIRITUAL GUESTS

Washington, Feb. 8.—The spiritual welfare as well as the temporal needs of visitors to Washington during Inauguration week will be provided for by the order of the Gideons Five thousand bibles will be placed in the rooms of the 78 hotels of the city and the boarding houses will be cared for later.

The bibles will be consecrated next Saturday in the parish house of the church of the Epiphany. President Taft and a large number of eminent clergymen will be among those taking part in the ceremony which will be recorded in motion pictures.

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GRAFTERS NOTIFIED BY WALDO

GAMBLER'S ACCUSATIONS MUST BE EXPLAINED.

A Brother-in-Law of Tammany Leader Murphy In the List

OF THOSE NAMED BY JAMES PURCELL.

Charges to be Investigated and If Found True, Men Must Go.

Police and District Attorney Agree Like Harman and Blank.

New York, Feb. 8.—Police Commissioner Waldo today took up the lead opened by the aldermanic investigation of police graft and began the investigation of charges made by James Purcell, a veteran gambler, against four captains now on the force. On the strength of Purcell's unsupported story, said Waldo, he could do nothing, but if his investigation corroborated the gambler's charges, he would suspend the accused officers. The police captains Purcell charged with receiving tribute for protecting his gambling establishments are Patrick J. Cray, brother-in-law of Charles F. Murphy, the Tammany leader, and Captains Hartens, Maude and Cochrane. Others he mentioned are no longer on the force.

It was pointed out at police headquarters today that the police graft Purcell told about was levied during a long term of years and under various police commissioners.

An Even Dozen.

New York, Feb. 8.—An even two dozen—some dead, some retired, some still on the New York police force—were branded as grafters or go-betweens yesterday in the recital of James Purcell, a veteran gambler, who told the aldermanic investigating committee how he and associates had given up $50,000 protection money in 17 years. His story was the most important told to the committee since it began its inquiry into police conditions following the murder of Herman Rosenthal, shot down because he "squealed." There was no session of the aldermanic committee today and it was not known whether Purcell would be recalled to the stand on Monday. Interest centered largely at police headquarters, though it was not believed that Commissioner Waldo would suspend any of those mentioned by Purcell until he had confirmed the truth of the charges by an independent investigation. The aldermanic committee is working hand in hand with the district attorney's office and as the police department and the district attorney are at dagger's points, neither is accepting the word of or co-operating with the other in any way.

On Monday Captain Thomas Walsh who recently confessed to grafting and implicated Inspector Dennis Sweeney, is to go before the grand jury and tell his story. Both he and Sweeney are now under suspension. After the Walsh evidence is presented Purcell will tell his tale to the grand jury, and a big batch of indictments is expected within ten days.

LIVER AND PRUNES ONLY HOPE LEFT.

Washington, Feb. 8.—Housewives who visited the center market this morning uttered cries of dismay on discovering that spring lamb of the crop of 1913 was retailing at one dollar a pound. This would make a leg of lamb cost from six to eight dollars and the price is said to be the highest ever recorded at this time of the year.

The "trimmings" that generally accompany spring lamb, mint and green peas, retailed at 10 cents a bunch and 15 cents a quart respectively. Prices of nearly all commodities are advancing and dealers regard the outlook for any decrease in the immediate future as not encouraging.

WOMAN CONFESSES MURDER OF HUSBAND

Webb City, Mo., Feb. 8.—Mrs. Lige Gillmore, has confessed to the police that she and James Lynn, of Galena, Kas., had murdered her husband here last Thursday night. Both are under arrest charged with first degree murder. Mrs. Gillmore declared that cruelties inflicted by her husband during 22 years of married life had become unbearable. She said she and Flynn planned the murder at Miami, Okla., last summer.

DOG MUST HAVE BEEN FAIRLY GOOD FRIEND

Ann Arbor, Mich., Feb. 8.—The recovery of W. A. Smith, of Kalamazoo for a part of whose brain the dura of a dog's brain was substituted Wednesday, seems certain, according to physicians in the university hospital where the operation was performed. Smith was afflicted with abscess of the brain and when the diseased portion was removed, the dura, which is the outer membrane of the brain and spinal cord of the dog, was substituted. The physicians say Smith will not suffer inconvenience from the substitution if he recovers from the shock incident to the operation.

DUN'S REVIEW SHOWS SUBSTANTIAL GAIN.

New York, Feb. 8.—Dun's Review today will say:

Bank exchanges this week at all leading cities in the United States aggregate $3,253,308,182, a gain as compared with same week last year of 6.7 per cent. This is a somewhat better exhibit than that of a week ago and is mainly due to the improved showing at New York City. The total of the cities outside the leading center is 5.7 per cent larger than a year ago.

DIZZY RED PAINT FOR MAIL VEHICLES

Washington, Feb. 8.—A nationwide use of red paint is to be made immediately by the post office department which proopses to put in spick and span condition all vehicles used in the collection or delivery of mail. Postmaster General Hitchcock today ordered a general inspection made of the wagons and automobiles in all post offices.

Where horses are used experts will be called upon to certify that they are "prompt in action, creditable in appearance, in first class condition and suitable for the work required of them."

The minute inspection is to extend to the small furnishings such as the harness, whips, lamps and other accessories. Wherever painting is necessary bright vermillion red, with appropriate trimmings will be used.

NEWSPAPER MEN ONLY KILLING TIME.

Washington, Feb 8.—When Thomas Brahany, chief clerk at the White House executive office, reached his desk today he found a slip bearing, in irregular order, the names of the various members of the cabinet. He was mystified until, on investigation, he discovered that the slip was a record of a "cabinet day gamble" indulged in by the newspaper correspondents who, on Tuesdays and Friday, it developed, have been in the habit of making wagers among themselves on the order in which the cabinet members will arrive.

Mr. Brahany's find indicated that the cabinet members arrived in the following order:

Wilson 1, Nagel 2, Wickersham 3, MacVeagh 4, Hitchcock 5, Fisher 6, Stimson 7, and Meyer 8.

Secretary Knox was missing.

The hour of meeting for the cabinet is fixed at 11 o'clock on Tuesdays and Fridays, but President Taft very seldom appeared on time to open the conference with his official family. It is generally twenty or thirty minutes after the hour when he takes his place at the head of the big table in the conference room. As a result the hard worked cabinet members take their time in getting to the White House and their arrival is irregular. This makes the betting all the more interesting.

NATURE PROVIDES FOR HER AFFLICTED

New York, Feb. 8.—Blind men set an example of remarkable calmness yesterday when 50 of them all sightless felt their way quietly down from the upper floors of an institution on Thirty-fifth street while the building was afire.

The men were weaving baskets and making brooms when some of them felt drops of water pattering down upon them.

"There must be a fire" cried one. "The automatic sprinklers are working."

"I smell smoke. There is a fire," exclaimed others. And with little ado they felt their way to the stairs and marched calmly down to the street. The firemen arrived a few minutes later and extinguished a small blaze which had started the automatic sprinklers but which was caught so quickly that it did little damage.

PROMINENT SINGER DIES.

Dayton, O., Feb. 8.—Harry J. Fellows, 45, director and manager of the Fellows Grand Opera quartette of Buffalo, N. Y., was found dead in bed at the Algonquin hotel this morning, a victim of heart trouble. He was prominent in musical circles in Buffalo.

CHANCE FOR GEORGE TO TAKE VACATION.

Port Deposit, Md., Feb 8—George Todd, a stableman of this place, has fallen heir to $300,000 by the death of his grandfather who went west years ago. Todd was summoned to Wilmington, Del., yesterday and told of the fortune.

SHORTAGE OF SUICIDE UNCOVERED

DISHONEST OFFICIAL OF A DAYTON LOAN COMPANY

Could No Longer Cover Up Deficit of More Than $60,000.

LIFELESS BODY FOUND IN VAULT.

Jugular Vein Cut and a 32-Calibre Bullet in His Brain

Just as the Bank Directors Were Assembling for Meeting.

Dayton, O., Feb. 8.—State inspectors today reported a shortage of $60,000 in the accounts of Harlow E. Spring, secretary of the Enterprise Savings and Loan association, covering a period of several years. Application for the appointment of a receiver for the savings society has been filed.

Spring committed suicide Monday night just as the directors were assembling for their usual meeting.

Spring Suicides.

Columbus, O., Feb. 8.—Harlow E Spring, secretary of the Enterprise Loan and Savings Association of Dayton, who killed himself last Monday night, was short $60,923 61 in his accounts, according to a report made to State Insurance Commissioner E. H. Moore today by Deputy Inspector James A. Devine of the building and loan association bureau, who with Examiners Fred A. Baker, Carl Bargmann and James Mulroy of the bureau have been working on the books of the association since Tuesday.

Spring's body was found in the vault in the association's office. His jugular vein had been severed with a razor and a 32-calibre bullet had been sent crashing through his brain. On his desk was found a newspaper clipping detailing the arrest of George J. Magly, secretary of the Teutonia Building and Loan Association of Columbus, and telling of the inability of the latter to cover up his alleged use of the funds of the association for private purposes.

"You will find my body in the vault," was the message in a note Spring left on his desk. In a letter to the president of the association he confessed that he had been using the money of the company and that he realized he could no longer conceal the fact. He stood high in business circles in Dayton and there was no suspicion against him.

WICKERHAMS WILL GIRDLE THE WORLD

Washington, Feb. 8.—Arrangements for the world girdling trip of Attorney General Wickersham on his retirement next month have finally been settled. Besides Mrs. Wickersham, there will be in the party Miss Martha Bowers, daughter of the late Lloyd W. Bowers, solicitor general of the United States, Miss Frances Noyes and Frederick Moore, of New York. The globe trotters will leave New York March 8, sailing from San Francisco one week later for Honolulu where they will spend two weeks as a first stop.

The attorney general declares that he proposed to avoid the beaten tracks of travel and that the inclination of the hour would largely direct their movements. Mrs. Wickersham also is enthusiastic over this roving plan of travel.

"Our trip is to be by no means a one-sided one," she said. "Social functions and public pageants, restaurants and sports, art galleries and volcanos are on our list."

According to the general plan Mr. Wickersham and his personally conducted tourists will return to New York in November. Of this he is not certain for, as he said, the lure of Egypt might prove irresistible and Christmas possibly would find them on the Nile.

HERBERT BOURNE DEAD.

Cleveland, O., Feb 8.—Herbert C. Bourne, well known business man died here today, following a stroke of apoplexy with which he was striken at the Colonial club last night, while attending a reception to President James H. Taylor, of Vassar college. He was fifty years old, a Harvard graduate, and member of the Euclid, Union, Mayfield and University clubs.

THIS IS REASON WHY 99 HOOF IT.

New York, Feb. 8.— Figures do not lie. One may see an automobile with the license tag number "103447 N. Y.," but there are nowhere as many automobiles as that running in New York. The same is true of other states, according to the official organ of the Automobile Club of America which declares that license numbers show greatly inflated totals. The exact number of cars in New York is not known, but according to the comparison given for California there are 88,174 license numbers, but only 38,960 cars in actual service. In Indiana it is said there are actually 35,187 cars although 64,000 are registered. Nebraska is said to have 16,500 cars although 64,000 are registered. Nebraska is said to have 16,500 cars although registry numbers run as high there as 33,277. It is estimated that throughout the country now there are nearly a million automobiles in use, or roughly one car to every hundred persons.

DISSOLUTION SUIT POSTPONED AGAIN.

New York, Feb. 8.—Resumption of the hearings in the government's dissolution suit against the United States Steel Corporation, set for Monday, was postponed today till the latter part of the month because of the finding of certain documents which will be used in the suit. Postponement was taken to enable the government lawyers to acquaint themselves with the contents of the documents, which are available at the corporation's office.

The exact date of the next hearing is to be determined by counsel. It probably will be February 25.

THAT'S THE HALIBUT!

Seattle, Wash., Feb 8.—Experienced independent fishermen are reaping a harvest as a result of the fishermen's strike begun here several weeks ago. One schooner arrived yesterday with a catch of 35,000 pounds of halibut which sold at 11½ cents a pound, doubit the normal price.

UNWOMANLY SUFFRAGETS

Wantonly Destroy Nature's Rarest Species of Floral Culture.

LONDON HOT HOUSE OBJECT OF ATTACK.

Orchids in the Horticultural Gardens Uprooted and Scattered.

London, Feb 8.—Militant suffragettes destroyed many valuable plants and didother damage reaching atotal of $5, 000 in thee hot houses of the Kew Horticultural Gardens during the early hours of this morning. Thus they developed another part of their plan of campaign to force the government to give the vote to woman.

It is believed a number of women hid themselves in the gardens overnight, for this morning long before the day staff came on duty it was found that a large number of rare orchids had been uprooted and scattered in all directions. Thirty panes of glass in the orchid house was broken.

When the night watchman made their rounds at one o'clock an the morning everything was still in good order and the women must have laid their plans well beforehand in order to find hiding places where they could lie in security. No trace of them has since been found.

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The window-smashing raids continued in London today. Two immense windows in an establishment in Oxford street which has heretofore been immune because of the proprietors contributions to the womens funds were broken during the early morning hours.

The postal authorities today issued a notice thatt here would be delay on all telegrams to the north of England as the result of cutting of the telegraph wires in the provinces by the suffragettes yesterday.

ALL BECAUSE OF ONE MAN'S TALK.

Washington, Feb. 8.—Senators Watson and Chilton, of West Virginia, are completely exonerated of the charge of corruption in connection with elections two years ago, in a report decided upon today by the senate elections committee.

"The only charge was traceable to the assertion by Delegate L. J. Shock of the West Virginia legislature that he had been paid $1,000 and promised more if he would vote for the two senators. He has retracted the charge, and with that retraction the entire accusation falls to the ground," said Chairman Dillingham today explaining the course taken by the committee.

HAUNTING SHADOWS OF PRISON

DRAW NEARER TO FORMER SENATOR GEO. K. CETONE.

Found Guilty of Bribery and Sentenced to Serve Three Years.

COURT OF APPEALS FINDS AGAINST HIM

Overruling Objecting of the Defense to the Conviction

Because Acceptance of Paltry $200.00 Shows Cetone's Intent.

Columbus, O., Feb. 8.—Affirming the decision of the lower court, the court of appeals today handed down a decision which in effect, places George K. Cetone, former state senator from Montgomery county, one step nearer the penitentiary, to which he was sentenced for three years by Judge Evans for alleged bribery.

The appeals court declare that there is no foundation for the position of the defense that Cetone was convicted upon the uncorroborated testimony of Detective Smiley, who was an accomplice. It states that Smiley was corroborated by Dr. George B. Nye and by Stenographer Walcutt, who occupied the room adjoining the room in which the bribe was given. The court holds that an objectionable case of entrapment is not presented, for the reason that Detective Smiley had no conversation with Senator Cetone until he had talked with Cetones agent, Rodney J. Diegle sergeant-at-arms of the senate, who arranged a meeting for Cetone with the detective.

The court also overruled the objection of the defense to the conviction, based upon the assertion that no criminal intent was shown in Cetone offering to iprther his own bill. The court states that this intention is found in the acceptance of the $200 and a promise of favorable action upon the bill, as made by Cetone when he received the 200 in a hotel on April 27, 1911.

Attorneys for the defense will present a motion to the supreme court for permission to file proceedings in error in that court.

JUDGE BLAIR WILL EDIT A NEWSPAPER.

Portsmouth, O., Feb 8.—After nine years of service upon the common pleas bench of the Seventh judicial circuit, Judge A. Z. Blair of this city, who conducted the celebrated vote-buying probe in Adams county in 1910-11, today retired to enter a private law partnership and become editor of the Portsmouth Blade. He is succeeded as judge by James S. Thomas, a democrat. Judge Blair is a republican.

MANAGER OF CUBS INSURES PLAYERS

Chicago, Feb 8.— President Charles W Murphy, of the Chicago National league club has announced that he has insured the lives of Manager John J. Evers and Catchers James Archer and Roger Bresnahan for $50,000 each for the present year.

"I do not think I could replace either of the three players for $50,000 and as a business proposition I decided to insure their lives for $150,000 for my own protection," said Murphy.

BUCKET SHOP MEN PAY HEAVY FINES.

Washington, Feb. 8.—Eight men caught in the government's anti-bucket shop crusade in 1910 pleaded guilty or nolle contendre in the district supreme court here and paid fines aggregating $50,000.

Louis Caila, of St. Louis; Angela Cella and Samuel W. Adler, of New York, pleaded guilty and were fined $10,000 each. Oscar J. Rappell, of Jersey City pleaded guilty and was fined $5,000. William F. Fox, of Baltimore, and Charles A. Alley, of Washington, pleaded contendre and were fined $2,500 each.

The defendants had appealed in vain to the supreme court of the United States. This action ends all bucket shop cases pending except that against Price and Company, which will be tried later this month.

WARSHIPS ORDERED TO SOUTHERN SEAS.

Washington, Feb. 8. — Four American warships have been ordered to Central America to observe what are believed to be indications of unrest. The Annapolis at San Diego, Calif., was ordered to Amapala, Honduras; the Denver at Capulco, Mex., was ordered to Acajutla, Honduras; the Des Moines at San Domingo, was ordered to Bluefields, Nicaragua, and the Nashville at New Orleans, was ordered to Porto Cortez or Porto Barrios.

TRAIN VICTIM HAD HIS FOOT IN FROG.

Organe, N. J., Feb. 8.—His foot caught in the frog of a switch, Thomas G Ryan, a hatter, was cut down and killed by an express locomotive on the Lackawanna railroad near his home here last night. Ryan had stepped from an eastbound track to let a train pass only to be caught in the death trap of the switch on the westbound track.

ONE MOTHER-IN-LAW QUITE HARMLESS.

New York, Feb. 8.—A marriage ceremony was called out beside a coffin in which lay the body of the bridegroom's mother, Mrs. Siegmund Helfgott, in her home last night. Her son George, a lawyer, 24 years of age, and his bride, Miss Violet Regine Lewis, agreed to the unusual procedure as it had been Mrs. Helfgott's dying wish that the marriage be performed beside her body.

WOODY'S NEIGHBORS PLAN A FAREWELL.

Princeton, N J., Feb. 8.—Residents of the little town of Princeton—students, members of the faculty, neighbors and town folk generally will say good bye to Woodrow Wilson on the evening of Saturday, March 1, two days before he departs for Washington to assume the presidency. Plans for a big farewell demonstration to the president-elect who has lived here for more than 27 years were announced today by Joseph Hoff, a member of the democratic state committee and an intimate friend of the governor.

"We want to show Governor Wilson that while we regret to lose him as a neighbor," said Hoff, "we are glad that a resident of the town should be going to the White House."

The farewell probably will take the form of a reception at the Wilson bungalow. Citizens of the town will co-operate with the students in making the celebration one of great enthusiasm.

HE APPRECIATES VALUE OF ALIBI.

New York, Feb. 8.—William Farren regards it as a close shave that, as an innocent man he is not on his way to Sing Sing prison for a life term. Brought to trial on nine counts charging robbery, assault and grand larceny, Farren was declared by seven witnesses as the man who held them up at the point of a revolver in the Bath Beach section of Brooklyn on the night of November 9. If convicted he would have been liable to prison terms amounting to 84 years. Notwithstanding the certainty of the witnesses against Farren, Judge Dike in the Kings county court yesterday directed the jury to acquit him because four reputable citizens had sworn to an alibi.

COLUMBUS POLICE MAKE QUICK ARREST

Columbus, O., Feb. 8.—Several hours after blowing the safe of Fred H Buxton, a jeweler at Granville, and securing about $1,000 in jewels, and cash, four burglars were captured on the outskirts of this city early this morning as they were entering Columbus on a traction car.

Although the four men were heavily armed, they were taken by surprise before they had time to pull their revolvers. Practically all of the stolen jewelry was found on their cloths and taken from them. Enough nitroglycerin and fuses were found in possession of the men to blow several safes.

The men describe themselves as James Neary, of Chicago; John Baker, of Madock, Ind.; William Longfellow, of St Louis and George Winslow, who says he has no home. All four men will be returned to the Granville police.

INDIAN THORPE WILL NOT ATTEND.

Boston, Mass., Feb 8.—Boston was the mecca today for 500 amateur athletes from many sections of the east to compete tonight in the annual indoor invitation track meet of the Boston Athletic association. Deciding as it virtually does, many intercollegiate indoor championships, the meet has attracted leading college athletes and Olympic stars. Conspicuous among the events to be decided tonight is the Hunter mile. The entrants include Kiviat and Sheppard of the Irish-American Athletic club, New York; Taber, of Brown University, and Hedlund, of Boston. Three wins are necessary to obtain permanent possession of the trophy, on which Kiviat and Hedlund have each one leg. There are nine other regular track and field events, and twenty relay races including two Yale Harvard contests.

UNCLE SAM SENDS HIS WAR SHIPS

TO BOTH COASTS OF CENTRAL AMERICAN WATERS.

Indications Are That Some Trouble is Brewing Down There.

FIVE MEN OF WAR ORDERED SOUTH.

Peanut Politicians of Latin Republics Stir Up Strife.

Protection of American Interests Demands Stringent Action.

Washington, Feb. 8.—Preparations for rushing five United States men o'war to both coasts of Central America, to meet any emergency which may arise from the brewing unrest there, went forward rapidly today.

The gunboat Annapolis with her crew of jackies augmented from the South Dakota and Colorado started last night from San Diego, Calif., for Amapala, Honduras, to stand guard on the Pacific side. The Nashville at New Orleans is making ready for sea and is expected to put out for Puerto Cortez, Honduras, on the Atlantic side, early Monday morning. The cruiser Des Moines, now at Guantanamo, the Cuban naval station coaling, has been ordered to be at Bluefields, Nicaragua, not later than February 15. The Denver, which has been standing by distressed Americans threatened by attack from Mexico rebels at Acapulco, will put out from there in a day or two and drop down to Acajutla, Salvador.

It is practically decided that these four ships whose movements were decided upon late yesterday, after Washington had received reports of possible trouble in the Latin republics, will be augmented by the gunboat Tacoma, now at Boston. Final orders for her movement have not yet been issued but are expected probably today.

From his confidential sources in Central America, this government, especially interested in preserving the peace among the little republics, has been receiving ominous and speculative reports of juntas of deposed dictators and revolutionists meeting here and there, plotting to stir up trouble. While the presence of American warships would be principally intended to provide refuge for Americans and other foreign citizens, there is no doubt that marines and bluejackets might be used in the interior if a situation should rise paralleling that in Nicaragua in the recent revolution when American troops were called upon to open a railroad and openly engage the rebels in battle.

There has been sharp criticism in congress of this government's interference in the Nicaraguan revolution, but it is said President Taft and Secretary Knox are firmly convinced of their right to use American forces for the protection of United States citizens and property whenever a state of anarchy exists in Central America or the established governments failed to do so.

JEKYL-HYDE CASE IN CLEVELAND.

Cleveland, O., Feb. 8.—John M. Rauch, automobile dealer, and Nottingham Sunday school teacher, was indicted by the grand jury today on charges brought by Anna Baumgartner. He is also facing a charge of contributing to the delinquency of Bernice Bulman, daughter of a neighbor, once a stenographer in his office.

CAPTURED ITALIAN BLAMED FOR MURDER

Cleveland, O., Feb. 8.—The police believe that in the arrest of an Italian here, they have captured the man who last Sunday night murdered R. E. Byrns, a retired lake captain, when the latter attempted to prevent the burglarizing of his home. The man's name is being withheld while he is given the "third degree." He has been twice identified as the owner of articles left on the scene of the attempted robbery and murder.

Captain Byrns' murder was the climax of a series of desperate holdups and killing that have occurred in Cleveland the last few weeks.